

BIG BUILDING TRADES DO NOT STRIKE

**NEW YORK CAR MEN
RECEIVE SEVERE
BLOW.**

**LEADERS STAND PAT
VIOLENCE DECREASES
AND SITUATION IS
CLEARING.**

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Although a stunning blow has been dealt to the hopes of strike leaders by the failure of the building trades workmen and teamsters to join a general walkout in sympathy with the traction employees, Hugh Frazer, chairman of the new union board of strategy declared today that "the fight is still on."

"We have not given up the idea of a general tieup," said Frazer. "The apparent failure of various unions to join us was due to the fact that they did not have time to act."

The allied building trades and the teamsters, comprising about 120,000 men, have deferred decisive action for a week and in the meantime strike leaders are now working to bring about the general sympathetic strike next Monday that was scheduled to begin on Wednesday.

Police Commissioner Woods who has been following the situation said that the labor condition is less menacing today than it has been any time since the elevated railway and subway men quit.

The danger of a complete tieup of elevated and subway lines through action by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers also is dwindling rapidly.

Certain of the labor leaders are bitterly disappointed over the showing made while others continue to claim that about 200,000 men and women have struck. Even this figure is short of the predictions made yesterday.

There has been a sharp decline in the violence which marked the strike situation during the past 48 hours.

ELUDES AUTHORITIES FOR THREE YEARS

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—James P. McNichols, alias E. C. Wallace, 39, wanted in Cleveland as a fugitive from justice, was arrested here today after he had eluded the authorities for more than three years. He jumped a \$20,000 bail bond.

When questioned today, he admitted that he had been in this city nine months promoting a patent adding machine business with headquarters opposite the post office on Broadway. Although post office inspectors all over the country have searched for him, it was not until a few days ago that Inspector Swann learned he was in the city and operating "practically under the nose of the inspectors."

McNichols is a civil engineer. Early in 1913 he was arrested in connection with a big mining swindle, he is alleged to have promoted throughout the western states.

U. S. LOOKING UP D. W. I. BUSINESS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—Confident that negotiations for the purchase of the Danish West Indies will be successful the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce already has begun a commercial survey of the islands to add American trade. Three agents are making a thorough investigation of the market possibilities there and laying plans for increased commercial communication between the islands and the merchants and manufacturers of America.

When it became apparent that the plans for the transfer of the islands were likely to succeed, the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce interrupted investigation under way in Cuba and hurried commercial agents Henry G. Brock, Philip J. Smith and W. A. Tucker to the Danish islands.

RIDDLE'S STATUS SETTLED.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 29.—Attorney General Edward C. Turner has passed on the status of T. P. Riddle of Lima, who once conducted the Ohio Corn Boys contests. He holds that Riddle was an independent contractor with the state board of agriculture. The board is not authorized to pay for the expenses of any other persons aside from the secretary. The details of the trip of 1914 have never been entirely cleaned up, but will be with the rendition of the ruling.

HOLD PETITION OF WHARTON IS NOT REGULAR

**Chief Deputies and Clerks
of 16 Election Boards
the Jury**

PRECEDENT ARGUED

**Mercer County Case Used to
Show Correct Title
is Needed.**

With the chief deputy and clerk of the board of deputy state supervisors of elections of each of the 16 counties in the Third judicial district sitting as a court to hear the case, the protest against the petition filed by Charles E. Wharton, of Kenton, as an opponent of Judge Phil Crow of the court of appeals was upheld at the Allen county court house today.

James J. Weadock, of Lima, and Judge George Schroth, of Tiffin, appeared in behalf of the protesters, with Ed Blank, of Lima, representing Wharton, who is proprietor of a racket store in the Hardin county capital and not an attorney.

The facts in the case as developed are as follows: Wharton filed 33 petitions, carrying 1,787 names. The office for which he is running is not definitely stated, but is designated under many titles, such as "judge of the appellate court, third district," "judge of the third appellate court, district," "judge of courts, third appellate district," "judge of third appellate court, long term," and others, but not one of them is listed as a position of independent candidacy for the office of judge of the court of appeal, long term, Third district, as the law requires.

As the vote in the 16 counties totals 131,941, the required 10 per cent is 13,194, and the names not legally to be counted because of defects in the petition number 671. This leaves 1,116, or 203 less than the required number.

Another flaw in the Wharton petition is that the sheets were filed with the clerk September 2 and on to September 8, whereas the law requires that they be filed with the chief deputy in the most populous county by September 7.

A third protest ground is that Wharton is a socialist and has a socialist committee, hence cannot run as an independent. He was once a candidate of that party for congress and one of his petitions was started as a socialist petition and the title changed later on by substitution. The unwritten law, that a judge must be an attorney, was also introduced. The above facts were developed in the opening statement by Weadock.

Blank spoke briefly in behalf of his client, stating that the spirit of the law was involved. He said that any one could tell what Wharton wanted, that the filing with the clerk was equivalent to the filing with the chief deputy, and that the nonpartisan judicial ballot did not distinguish.

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SOLAR REFINERY STILL EXPLODES

**\$7,000.00 Loss Results From
Damage by Fire and
Explosion.**

The Solar Refining company suffered a loss of more than \$7,000 this morning, when still No. 9, which is one of the old type exploded. The roof was torn off and the contents of the still caught on fire.

The entire fighting force of the refinery was called out to assist in battling the flames. However, it was more than two hours before the volunteer fighting forces was able to place the flames under control.

The contents of the still which consisted of "re-run" was entirely destroyed. At the time of the explosion more than 900 barrels was contained in the still. The fire fighters were successful in confining the flames to the one still.

Only one workman was injured when the explosion occurred. His hand was smashed somewhat when it was struck by a flying brick from the walls of the still. Several workmen in the vicinity of the accident had narrow escapes.

Officials of the company stated today that the still would be rebuilt immediately. However, with the new stills nearing completion, it is hardly likely that they will be handicapped in turning out the refined products.



"A TRIBUTE FROM THE HEART."

Weather for Ohio and Vicinity

Fair tonight and Saturday; colder tonight with frost; rising temperature Saturday.

Temperature at Solar Refinery

4 a. m.	48
9 a. m.	47
12 m.	52
2 p. m.	52

SUMMARY OF THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT Friday, September 29, 1916.

LOCAL.

G. Williams held on a bootlegging charge.

Mrs. Jane Patterson, 53, dies at Bluffton.

Bishop praises new mission fathers in St. Gerard parish.

Fair attendance is normal today.

Baptists to hold district meeting.

Dress-up week is dictated by sense and dame fashion.

Mother and daughter in same hospital.

Site work will start in spring.

NATIONAL.

New York street car strike dwindling.

T. R. treacherous in supporting Hughes, Moose leaders aver.

Government feels effects of paper shortage greatly.

Judge Den. Lindsey avers Colorado is for the president.

Fatally shot in taxicab affray.

FOREIGN.

Allies pounding forward on west front.

Greece in the throes of revolution.

WILLIS' BOARD SPLITS ON PEN PROBE REPORT; METHODS CONDEMNED

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 29.—Two reports were submitted when the members of the state board of administration convened today to take up the matter of agreeing upon findings relative to the board's recent investigation of cruelty charges and other allegations of misconduct preferred against Warden P. E. Thomas by penitentiary convicts. One report, submitted by Dr. E. H. Rorick, republican, and C. C. Philbrick, democrat, recommended a number of changes in the policy of managing the big prison. Another report, very brief, was presented by D. S. Creamer, democrat, and T. E. Davey, republican, exonerating the warden.

Neither report suggested removal of Warden Thomas. Early stages of the discussion indicated that the board members will deadlock and that the conference will end with both reports lying on the table.

Recommendations in the Philbrick-Rorick report are:

Abolish and prohibit the practice of censorship of mail by prisoners, abolish the strait-jacket cell as a means of punishment, limit the use of the solitary cell to offenses of a serious nature, diet of prisoners in solitary should be looked after from a viewpoint other than starvation, any guard using excessive force should be dismissed, any infraction by improper conduct, other than by force, should at least be noticed by the suspension of the guard for a number of days without pay, let each prisoner have more than one handkerchief a week, greater care should be taken in declaring prisoners insane, reports of assaults by guards on prisoners should be filed promptly with the warden, do away with the idle house and put the prisoners to work at various state institutions when employment is not possible within the prison walls, all prison officials and employees should at all

times speak respectfully and properly address prisoners, espionage by prisoners should be stamped out and the warden, officials and employees should have entire charge of prison discipline.

Accusations, threats and intimations fired back and forth marked the session today of the four members of the state board of administration. One report, supported by C. C. Philbrick, chairman, democrat, and Dr. E. H. Rorick, republican, condemned the warden for certain practices. Another, presented by T. E. Davey, republican, and D. S. Creamer, democrat, congratulated the warden.

Creamer suggested that the warden be called into the conference. The suggestion went no farther than to draw from Philbrick the declaration that he was not after Thomas "scalp." Rorick and Philbrick opposed a motion by Creamer and Davey that a vote be taken on Thomas' guilt or innocence, of the charges made against him. Philbrick, however, first put a motion that the report read by him be adopted. Then came the deadlock. Philbrick and Rorick supporting the motion. During heated discussion, Philbrick declared that another probe of the warden will be forthcoming if the recommendations contained in his report are not heeded. Philbrick and Rorick refused to vote on the question of adopting the Creamer-Davey report.

The report made by Philbrick and Rorick follows:

In the matter of the investigation of the conduct of P. E. Thomas as warden of the Ohio penitentiary.

After a thorough reading and careful analysis of all evidence produced and having due regard to the manner and attitude of the witnesses on the stand and the credibil-

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ALLIES ARE POUNDING FORWARD AND MAKE BIG GAINS IN WEST

**Germans and Entente Locked
in Battle On Galician
Front In East**

ANARCHY RULES ATHENS

**German Chancellor Opens Reichstag
With Speech of Defiance;
Claims Bremen Here**

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Pounding their way forward amidst shattered German positions the allies have again scored important gains on the Somme front. The great movement to encircle Bapaume, one of the three main objectives of the allies, has been launched.

While the French were advancing on the Fregicourt-Morval line the British captured a strongly defended farm 500 yards southwest of Le-sars, in a night battle.

Violent artillery duels are in progress. Air observers reported a gigantic explosion behind the German lines southeast of Bapaume, as though an ammunition magazine had blown up.

On the eastern front new battles have developed, especially north of the Galician border, as a result of the counter offensive of the Germans.

Surging forward and backward, the German allies and the entente troops are still locked in battle all along the Macedonian front. The Bulgarians, unmindful of their heavy losses, tried again to drive the Serbs from their position at Kaimaklarian heights in western Greece Macedonia, but failed.

The Bulgarian forces that occupied Mangalia, on the coast of Dobruja, have been bombarded by a Rumanian squadron.

Decisive developments are pending in Greece. The Greek revolutionists have captured the island of Hydra. General Danaglis, former Greek chief of staff, has gone to Saloniki to join the revolutionary movement. The torpedo boat squadron of the Greek navy has deserted to the allied fleet.

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Swift war developments are expected to follow the crown council at Athens today.

A news agency despatch from Athens reports the preparation of an ultimatum for Bulgaria.

The chief demand to be made upon Bulgaria is for the evacuation of Greek soil, which the German allies had promised to respect.

Practically the entire Greek navy has deserted King Constantine. Groups of army officers are proclaiming their allegiance to Venizelos, the pro-ally leader and head of the revolutionary movement.

Preparations for mobilization in Greece are being completed rapidly, it is understood here.

That Constantine has been won over to the side of those working for the immediate entry of Greece in the war on the side of the allies is strongly indicated by the recall of Prince George, a brother of the Greek king, who has been in London on a special mission. He is to have an important command in the Greek army.

GERMAN CHANCELLOR DEFIANT.

Opens Session by Stating Bremen and Deutschland Are in U. S.

BERLIN, via Sayville wireless, Sept. 29.—All Germany today looks confidently for a renewal of ruthless submarine warfare.

The last remaining doubts that the government has been won over by the advocates of the plan to "starve out England," by the means of more than 300 submarines were dispelled by the imperial chancellor's speech in the reichstag yesterday.

"A German statesman," the chancellor said, "who would hesitate to use against his enemy (England) every available instrument of battle that would really shorten the war—such a statesman should be hanged."

The only man who may avert or perhaps at least postpone resumption of submarine warfare, is James W. Gerard, American ambassador to Germany.

Upon the result of his visit to Washington, it is declared here, hinges the whole question. Though officially explained as a "vacation," his trip to the United States is believed to be in reality a mission from the German government in a last effort to break the British blockade.

It is believed, therefore, that the proposed full-fledge U. boat campaign against Britain is under way.

GREAT BRITISH AND FRENCH LEADERS OF WAR IN CONFERENCE.



David Lloyd George.

To these two men, David Lloyd George, minister of war in the British cabinet, and Aristide Briand, premier of France, the allies look for victory more

Aristide Briand.

than to any other pair in the war. The photograph shows the last conference in Briand's office in Paris. "Peace is declared," said Briand on this occasion.

"We shall have won a victory over ourselves as well as the Germans. No more divisions nor local tyrannies; no more hatred of church steeples. There will be only one France."

paige will not be initiated until he returns or until definite word has been received that his mission has failed.

Germany, according to an authentic authority, considers that the time has arrived when she can and must take advantage of the last paragraphs of her Sussex note, in which it was made clear that her stand in the submarine issue might have to be reversed if Washington failed to force England to abandon the blockade as now carried out.

In opening the autumn session of the reichstag President Kaempff mentioned the arrival of the submarine liners Deutschland and Bremen in the United States.

The galleries were crowded to capacity as the reichstag opened. All foreign diplomats in Berlin were present. Among the reichstag members were many in uniforms, some in bandages. President Kaempff in his introduction speech said that the military, economic and political war had reached its climax. Germany's position, he said, "was satisfactory in every respect." He read the telegrams exchanged with the Kaiser on the second anniversary of the war and with the president of the Hungarian parliament at the fall of Turtakal fortress. His speech was greeted with applause.

After the transaction of routine business, the chancellor arose amid deep silence to make his ardently expected "confession of faith."

He reviewed at length the diplomatic history preceding the Rumanian intervention. Rumania's policy throughout, he declared, "was to play safe" and wait to see which side was sure of winning the war. After the fall of Przemyel, he asserted Premier Bratianu was ready to pay "with Judas-like treason" for riches his country wished to gain for the smallest possible sacrifices. Negotiations with Russia struck a snag, however, the chancellor said, because both countries coveted the Bukovina, while Rumania, in addition, wanted to acquire the entire Hungarian territory as far as the Theiss.

The Russian offensive and the continued allied pressure finally caused Rumania to believe she was "sinking her money on the right horse," the chancellor said, and broke her treaty alliance with the central powers. King Karol, Ferdinand's uncle, he added, died of a broken heart because of the realization that Rumania was a traitor to her Teutonic allies.

Rumania's intervention, he said, came in the face of emphatic protestations to the central empires that she should remain neutral, but he emphasized that Germany was "not deceived by Rumanian intrigues."

The chancellor startled the house by stating that Russia presented an ultimatum to Rumania announcing that Russian troops would cross the Rumanian frontier if Rumania did not enter the war on the allies' side by August 28, last.

"Whether this ultimatum was a comedy preconcerted with Bratianu," said the chancellor, "in order to force the hesitating king into war, I leave undecided. But the die was cast."

SITE WORK WILL START IN SPRING

Lost Creek Channel Route Not Yet Definitely Located.

It is hardly likely that work on the construction of the new reservoir will be started before March. The board of control will receive bids on the work within the next couple of weeks. However, final decision in regard to moving the Lost Creek channel must be made before any action is taken.

Service Director Metheany is anxious to choose the plan of coursing the channel which will be most practical and can be completed at the least expense. Engineers Clark and Pratt on their plans submitted two drawings of two ways in which to route the river channel.

One calls for routing the channel of the river on west side of the proposed site of the new reservoir, while the other calls for moving the channel to the east side of the new body of water.

According to Metheany it is likely that the latter plan will be adopted, as it can be done at a much less expense to the city. The land through which the bed of the creek would pass can be purchased at a much less expense than that touching on the west side of the reservoir.

According to Metheany, when the reservoir is completed it will have an average depth of more than 23 feet. The capacity of it will be more than twice that of the present lake supply city water.

Water from the reservoir when finished will flow by gravity to the pump station through the 20-inch conduit. From there it will be distributed by pumps to various parts of the city.

The completed reservoir will cover more than 200 acres of land. Fifty-two of this area is already owned by the city, making it necessary that 150 acres be purchased. Parts of seven farms are included in the site.

Willis' Board Splits On Open Probe Report; Methods Condemed

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ity of his testimony attached to the weight of evidence as a whole, as bearing upon the issue furnished by corroborative testimony. It becomes the duty of this board insofar as it is possible, to reconcile the testimony of all witnesses and reject or accept other evidence insofar as its reasonableness appears as to the truth or falsity of the disputed facts upon which to base a sound judgment. If we are to agree to this procedure, we must therefore arrive at the following conclusion of fact, giving credence and weight to that evidence which seems to us to have the strongest proven force as applied to a sincere and common sense application and reason.

Conclusion of Facts.

1. Prisoners read and censor all outgoing and incoming prisoners' mail.
2. That the solitary cells and so-called strait-jackets therein are being used as models of punishment for prisoners.
3. That depriving prisoners confined in solitary cells of substantial food is another means of punishment.
4. That only one guard has been disciplined for excessive use of force since the present warden has been in charge, and this guard suspended for a period of only ten days, and that, too, for slapping of prisoners when specific charges of clubbing are admitted.
5. That many prisoners have been struck with clubs and hospital attention was necessary, receiving cuts in the head by reason of their force, two of which prisoners are admitted to have been without fault.
6. Seventy-seven men sent to Lima state hospital as insane patients, 31 of whom were returned to the penitentiary within a period of seven months as sane men.
7. No written certificate of the penitentiary physician indicating that he believed these men insane was filed as required according to the statutes mandatory in such cases.
8. Records as to discipline of prisoners filed in the office of the warden and the penitentiary physician defective and incomplete.
9. A number of reports of force inflicted by guards on prisoners have been delayed in transmission to the warden's office and made a matter of form rather than substance.
10. Too much latitude in the handling of prisoners is permitted guards and the supervision of the warden over the prisoner is too indirect.
11. Only one handkerchief is furnished each prisoner each week.
12. That the use of guns, canes and blackjacks has been extreme when milder and more humane methods could have satisfied the requirements of prison discipline.
13. That the idle house is used to confine from three hundred to eight hundred prisoners without means of employment.
14. That certain prisoners are placed in the idle house who can work along the lines of individual effort, even though the state has no work at which to charge their time, however, in this connection, we do say we do not think the warden has taken advantage of all the means available for the working of the prisoners, the board of administration having authorized the return of 21 prisoners to Lima state hospital as honor men, which opportunity was not accepted by Warden Thomas to relieve the congested conditions in the idle house.
15. Certain names are used by the officers and employees of the penitentiary in derision and contempt when referring to certain companies of prisoners such as "Red Shirts," "Anarchists," "Trouble Makers," "Agitators," "Shame Gang," "Rough Riders," and so forth.
16. That there is a well defined system of espionage over the prisoners by certain other prisoners, with especial reference to the prison council.
17. Too much credence as to the necessity is placed in the formal reports of the guards when the black jack and club or cane are used. Proper investigation is lacking.

Recommendations.

This board, having in mind the welfare of the prisoners, both while confined in prison and also when they are restored to liberty, makes the following recommendation believing the law has been followed in due course and the protection of society from future acts and crimes are the main purposes for confinement.

Grave and serious abuses have arisen and will arise if one prisoner is permitted to know the contents of a letter written by another prisoner to his family or received by the prisoner from his family. Intimate knowledge is gained thereby of family secrets, which are confidential as between the prisoner and his family, but said secrets being in nowise contrary to the discipline of the institution. It is perfectly proper for a duly qualified officer to know these things, but not so another prisoner who may be released and taunt, threaten or blackmail another prisoner or his family. Therefore, we are of the opinion that the practice of censorship of the mail by prisoners be abolished and prohibited.

For the purpose of discipline in the prison, the management has been in the habit of confining prisoners in solitary cells in which is contained a straight-jacket cell wherein men are placed and after being placed therein, are unable to turn around, sit down or in any exercise. The use of said straight-jacket has been

such that men being released therefrom have swollen feet and limbs and are otherwise injured physically. During said confinement, a small portion of bread and coffee is permitted in the morning; water is served only at noon and evening, and every third day, one additional meal is permitted at noon time in addition to the water, bread and coffee.

We are of the opinion that to say the least this mode of punishment, exclusive of the straight-jacket, should be used only for prisoners who have committed grave and serious offenses within the prison. However, this method of punishment has been used by the present management for many trivial offenses, such as shown by the testimony of Henry Williams, 43,557, who says he "was placed in solitary once for hollering on the range and once for being out of place in line" and Fred J. Connors, 28,557, who says he "was placed in solitary twice, once for taking a pair of state socks and once for walking out of the idle house."

Twentieth century civilization demands the immediate abolition of the straight-jacket cell as a means of punishment and the use of the solitary cell shall only be made after a careful investigation of alleged acts of a serious nature being committed contrary to the prison discipline. Also, the diet of the prisoners while in the solitary cells should be looked after from another viewpoint than starvation. Guards Hogan and Callahan, one a patrol guard and the other a guard at the solitary, testified as to the amount and kind of food permitted men while confined for punishment in solitary cells.

We believe that proper discipline on the part of the guards is as essential to prison management as discipline on the part of the prisoners. We recommend that any guard using excessive force be dismissed from the service of the state and that any infraction by improper conduct otherwise than by force shall at least be noticed by the suspension of the guard for a period of days, without pay. Any guard such as Hogan, who testified that he would shoot any prisoner who threw anything at him from a cell, even though ample assistance and means are at hand for controlling the prisoner, should be dismissed from the service of the state because such a lack of sympathy and feeling for the prisoner on the part of any guard is conducive of the gravest consequences and no advantage in the discipline of the prison.

Lima State Hospital.

The undisputed evidence shows that 77 prisoners were sent to Lima state hospital on or about August 28, 1915, thereafter on or about March 30, 1916, 31 of said prisoners were returned to the Ohio penitentiary as sane men. It strikes us as being, to say the least, strange that men such as the 31 that were returned could pass from sanity into insanity and from insanity into sanity during a period of seven months. These men were suggested as insane by the deputy warden and the penitentiary physician and after ample opportunity was given to produce the certificates of the penitentiary physician, which the law requires to begin the removal to the Lima state hospital, no such certificates were produced. It is a serious thing to declare a man insane, both as it affects the individual and the state, and should be carefully followed by the penitentiary physician with the exact and proper record in every

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER IN THE SAME HOSPITAL

On beds in opposite rooms, mother and daughter are being accorded treatment at the City hospital. Mrs. Guy Teegarden of 554 North McDonald street, was removed to the hospital a week ago, after the birth of a child, which died.

In an opposite room her mother, Mrs. Daniel Teegarden of Columbus Grove, lies, after having been subjected yesterday to an operation for the removal of a tumor. Both are improving. Mrs. Teegarden is a member of Putnam court, No. 42, Tribe of Ben Hur, in Columbus Grove.

FANTOMAS IS COMING. GETS INTO WRONG HOUSE; IS ARRESTED

F. A. Kope, 1105 East Second street, arrested this morning by Motor Cop Thomas on St. Johns avenue, will be arraigned in criminal court tomorrow morning on a charge of breaking into and entering a house.

Kope, who is a brakeman on the

SUIT TO QUIET TITLE.

Suit to quiet title in the case of the Elmer D. Webb company against Joseph Lyons and others was heard in common pleas court this morning and title quieted, as prayed for. Josephine Wolf, Elizabeth Murphy, James J. Collison, Catherine Collison and St. Rose Catholic church were defendants in the case. The property included outlots 112, 113 and 184. The court ordered the Webb company to pay St. Rose church, by its pastor, the Rev. A. E. Manning, the sum of \$400.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN TOMORROW! At Royal in "The Heart Thief."

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Cauliflower	berries	Fresh Oysters
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SKATING RINK IS TO OPEN TOMORROW

The Ideal Skating Rink Company, newly organized, will open a new skating rink on Saturday evening, in the East block on East Spring street, over the Regal garage. Roller skating is again a popular amusement and exercise, and the new rink is large and commodious especially adapted for roller skating, and is centrally located, less than a block from the Main Street car line and in a location that has desirable surroundings. The opening Saturday evening will be an interesting event, plenty of music and entertainment.

FINED FOR TRAIN RIDING.

N. McGeever and Charles Tompkins, arrested on a charge of train riding, were arraigned in Justice Hamilton's court this morning and pleaded guilty to the charge. They were each fined \$10 and costs and will be committed to the county jail until fine and costs are paid.

MARION—Eric express between Chicago and New York delayed hour when Mrs. A. Purci gives birth to son near Ohio City.

THE GARLAND WARM AIR FURNACE

The Furnace of quality took first premium at the Allen Co. Fair. W. J. JACKMAN, Agent. 321 1/2 Central Ave.

HELP! FANTOMAS IS HERE!

MARION—Edward D. Leach, 78, leading republican of Greencamp, where he served as mayor and held every other village office, is dead.

FAIR ATTENDANCE IS NORMAL TODAY

With clearing weather this morning and the bright sun to warm up the cold, damp outside, the attendance at the Allen county fair today

reached nearly normal. Many people from the rural sections, who feared the threatening weather of yesterday, came today. This was the last day of the big gathering. After 4 o'clock this afternoon, exhibits will be removed and by night buildings and grounds will be vacant.

The Lima high school won in the educational display. The amount of \$45 in premiums goes to this school. Prof. J. P. Sharkey, of Van Wert,

was judge in this department.

Lowell school secured \$23 in premiums and Washington \$21.50. Other grade schools in Lima which secured prizes and the amount were Franklin, \$19.50; Irving, \$12; Garfield, \$9.50; McKinley, \$5.50; Whittier, \$5.50; Lincoln, \$8.50; Horace Mann, \$2.50; Richardson, \$2.50; Emerson, \$1, and Longfellow, \$1.

A want ad in the Times-Democrat will bring quick results.

MRS. SPEER'S FUNERAL

Funeral services for Mrs. Leona Speer, wife of George Speer of 77 South Elizabeth street, were held this afternoon at Grace Methodist church. The Rev. W. J. Dunham officiated. Interment was made in Fairmount cemetery in Adams county.

JOLIET PEN PICTURES

"In Worth While" Royal today.

ACID PHOSPHATE HELPS THE GROWTH OF CLOVER

That acid phosphate encourages the growth of clover crops in orchards is shown by results secured through seven years by the horticultural department of the Ohio experiment station working in southern Ohio. Where this fertilizer was used alone or combined with manure of potash and applied at the rate of 350 pounds per acre, the much improved orchards consisted of red clover. Where the same amount of nitrate

of soda was used, the poor growth and weeds in the old and neglected orchards were replaced by timothy, reedtop and bluegrass. No seed was shown in either case. From these tests, the experiment station advises orchardists to apply acid phosphate evenly over the orchard to produce a good stand of clover. Nitrate of soda only when the trees lack vigor and the soil is poor.

Results always obtained by a want ad in The Times-Democrat.

Stop the cold. A cold does not get well of itself. The process of wearing out a cold wears you out, and your cough becomes serious if neglected. Backing with cold water the energy and sap the vitality. For 47 years the best combination of soothing antiseptic balsams in Dr. King's New Discovery has healed coughs and relieved congestion. Young and old can testify to the effectiveness of Dr. King's New Discovery for coughs and colds. Get a bottle today at your Druggist, price 75c.

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A city can have only one *absolutely best* store. By rapid strides the BIG STORE has taken the front rank as Lima's leading mercantile institution. The Deisel Co. stocks are largest, the assortments are greatest—and the large amount of sales enables us to sell at a minimum of profit. Beside all this the buying prestige of *The Deisel Co.* brings to you the very choicest of *everything* while the styles are *new*.



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Women's dull kid lace boots, extra high tops, Goodyear welt soles, leather Louis heels, priced at \$5.

Women's dull kid lace, cloth top boots, medium or receding toe, leather Louis heel, priced at \$2.98.

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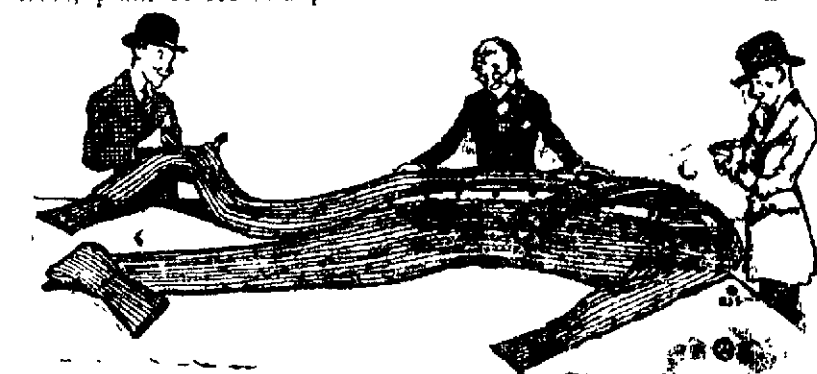
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Patrons contemplating extensive purchases of household goods finding it inconvenient to pay the entire amount at once or in 30 days may avail themselves of our club plan for more convenient terms of payment.

Specials in the Pure Food Market

25 lbs. H. & E. Granulated Sugar, Saturday **\$1.85**

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Three packages
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Women's white cotton union suits with or without fleece. High neck, long sleeves, Dutch neck, half sleeves, low neck, no sleeves, ankle length, regular sizes at \$1; extra sizes, **\$1.25**

Misses' Separate Garments
Misses' Merino pants and vests, grey or white, all sizes, at 59c and 69c.

Misses' Union Suits
Misses' Merino union suits with high neck, long sleeve, drop seat. These come in grey or white, all sizes, at **\$1.25** and **\$1.35**.

Misses' Silkateen & Wool Suits
Misses' Silkateen and Wool Union Suits in white only, high neck, long sleeve, all sizes at \$1.35 and \$1.50.

Boys' Union Suits
Boys' grey cotton union suits, a very heavy fleeced garment, high neck, long sleeve, open seat, sizes 4-6 at 75c.

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Assorted lot of little girls' hats to close, choice, 69c
Others at from 95c to \$2.50.

A Few of Saturday's Many Basement Savings

VACUUM CLEANER AND SWEEPER **4.98**

Has three large bellows and strong brush, cleans in the corners and gets all the fine dirt. Regularly sells at \$6.

WASTE PAPER BASKETS, SPECIAL **21c**

Made of heavy, fancy colored straw and reed, 14 inch size, regularly sell at 29c, 16 inch size, regularly 39c, special **28c**.

SMOOTH FINISHED IRON SKILLETS **33c**

Heavy iron, 10 inch size, regularly sell at 45c. 12 inch size, regularly sell at 73c, special, **59c**.

INVERTED GAS LIGHTS, COMPLETE **28c**

Included are brush brass finish inverted burner, mantle and plain globe. Regularly sell at 45c.

THREE FOLD LAUNDRY BARS **58c**

Four feet high, have 36 ft. of drying room. Regularly sell at 73c.

STRONG FANCY SHOPPING BASKETS **29c**

Made with strong handle. Larger sizes at 45c and 60c.

STRONG WILLOW CLOTHES HAMPER **1.39**

Tightly woven, have tight fitting cover, 25 inches high. Regularly sell at \$1.39.

MOTOR WASHING MACHINE, Special **12.95**

Motor operates on low pressure. Tub is of genuine cedar, has tight fitting cover. Fully guaranteed. Regularly sells at \$15.

RETINNED WIRE SOAP DISH **7c**

Shaped to fit in sink. Regularly sells at 10c.

SURE CUT CAN OPENER **3c**

All metal heavily constructed, regularly sells at 5c.

TWISTED WIRE CLOTHES LINES **27c**

100 foot length, made of non rustible wire, regularly sell at 29c.

STRONG HEMP CLOTHES LINES **29c**

Water proof, 50 foot long, regularly sells at 49c.

GAS MANTLES, FOUR FOR **25c**

Upright or inverted styles, good grade cap mantles, regularly sell at 10c each.

Electric Lighting Fixtures

For Six Room House **\$25**

For Seven Room House **\$30**

Let us figure on your electric light fixtures for that new home or refurbishing the old one. We can fit up a six-room house with large fixtures you will be proud to own. Fixtures complete for six rooms for **\$28.00**.

Fixtures complete for a seven-room house for **\$30.00**.

GOVERNMENT FEELS EFFECT OF PAPER SHORTAGE GREATLY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The high cost of paper is hampering the work of the government seriously. Government publications are being cut down. Plans are under way to discontinue those of minor importance.

Officials in all government departments and bureaus put into effect today orders to "conserve paper." One of the principal steps to do this is by the use of smaller type in printing, by which more words can be printed on a single sheet.

The United States government annually places the largest individual contract made in this country for paper supplies. When the paper required for the present fiscal year is ready for delivery, general purchasing agents have been warned that the mills will not be able to meet a demand equally as great as next year, even at enormous increases in price.

D. C. H. Briggs, head of the government general supply division, said today that the latest reports show that a crisis in the paper situation has been reached and that retrenchment all along the line would be enforced.

"The government contract price for fine grades of typewriting paper last year was 12 cents a pound," he said, "but today we should regard ourselves lucky to go into the market and get the same paper for 20 cents a pound. We are using 100 different kinds of paper. Since the war the price has jumped about 100 per cent and will continue to soar."

The government printing office demands about 15 carloads daily and paper for its use alone has amounted to more than \$1,000,000 a year. The printing paper for this year's work in the estimate cost four and a half cents, but contracts for future supplies will show 100 per cent increase or more in price.

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Rooms \$1—With Private Bath \$1.50

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"My son nineteen years of age suffered frequently from bilious attacks. My husband brought home a bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets and began giving them to him. They acted like magic. He began to eat heartily and picked up right along," writes Mrs. Thomas Campbell, Kirkville, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

UNION CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Sneyer, of Vaughnville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Owen Griffiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fetter visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blaine, of Lima, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Staver and family called on Grandma Staver, of Allentown, Sunday.

Paul Lyle spent Sunday with Elzie and Fred Heiner.

A party including Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Lyle, Mrs. Inez Lippencott, Mrs. Lydia Staver and Mrs. Clarence Haysman, motored to Vaughnville, Saturday, to attend the Christian conference which is being held at Ottawa River church, near Vaughnville.

Henry Bresler called on Jacob Staver, Sunday.

The meeting of the Bresler Literary society was largely attended Friday evening. A very interesting program was rendered after which a debate was held. The question, "Resolved That the Tractor is of More Use Than the Team of Horses," was represented on the affirmative by J. L. Lyle, Fred Shappell and A. D. Welker; on the negative by Stanley Miller, George Ruhlen and Bert Heiner. The judges decided in favor of the negative. The next meeting will be held in two weeks, October 6.

Mrs. William Stevenson spent Wednesday with Mrs. Lydia Staver. Mr. and Mrs. J. Hicelet, son Ray and wife, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fetter.

Several friends of Clarence Fetter surprised him Friday evening the occasion being his birthday. A pleasant time was had by those present and at a late hour a birthday supper was prepared. Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Rooks, son and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Metzger and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wingate; Mr. and Mrs. K. Wingate and son, all of

How a Zeppelin Fell Victim to An E-Boat

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Quite satisfying to the most hardened novel reader is the plain story of the first submarine to bag a Zeppelin, as told by a representative of the British Official Press bureau. The details of this Jules Verne exploit are now made public for the first time. The story is as follows:

"When Rudyard Kipling wrote his thrilling stories of the doings of British submarines he confessed that he had merely taken examples haphazard from the Admiralty papers to which he had access, and that his 'Tales' by no means exhausted the possibilities of the subject. Obviously, they have not, for it has just come to light that Kipling by his haphazard method missed a real beauty—the first story of how a submarine, the E-31, in one breathless adventure destroyed a Zeppelin, dodged a cruiser, and missed destruction herself by a bare inch."

"E-31 was lying on the bottom somewhere in the North Sea, when her commander thought he would see what was going on 'on top.' So up she came. Her luck was in. There, just to the northwest, only 200 or 300 yards away, flying very low, and obviously in difficulties, was Zeppelin L-7, fresh from her expedition to the north of England."

"So E-31 decided not to show herself too much, but just to keep her eye on the grey, 'for,' she argued, 'maybe some German cruiser will come to her assistance, and then—' But, though she waited and waited, following the L-7 as close as she dared, no cruiser appeared. Instead there hove into view an armed trawler, of which, for many reasons, she could not run foul."

"And so, on the assumption that half a loaf is better than no bread, E-31 emerged and let fly at the Zeppelin at a range of about 100 yards with a 12-pounder. The first shot blew away the center gondola. The next two landed full within the envelope. L-7 collapsed, and, burning fiercely, plunged headlong into the waters of the North Sea."

Lima: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heiner, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fetter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fetter, and Fred Heiner.

Mr. and Mrs. William French called Sunday on Mrs. Rebecca Yoakum, of Lima.

"Those of her crew who escaped the wreckage swam to the E-31, and she picked some up. But the trawler was approaching, and therein lay danger. Still, she managed to save seven, and was proceeding with the rescue of those hanging on all around, when, since discretion is the better part of valor, she found it expedient to dive. She took them all; those inside and those out."

"E-31 spent several hours on the bottom. Later she emerged again, and it is doubtful (since it is not chronicled) which was the more surprised—E-31 or the big four-funnel German cruiser within 50 yards or so of which she found herself. But she was the wrong way on for loosing a torpedo and too close, while the cruiser had to slow round before she could ram. Still, she had all the advantage over the E-31, for she could shoot. She did, too; but E-31 was wary, saw the danger, and dived. Disappeared at an angle downward of something over 45 degrees. As her length was about 60 feet more than the depth of the water it was a manoeuvre attended by some risk. But this risk saved her life."

"Just as she dived the cruiser fired. She couldn't have missed if she'd tried; yet she did. The shot carried away all the outrigger of poor E-31, and she plunged to the bottom. You can't blame the Germans for thinking she was done, and for issuing an official report to that purpose, for if she had been hit she could not have 'plunged' quicker; her own men didn't know what had happened, though they knew something had."

"Again E-31 lay on the bottom. Some hours later she came up and the damage was inspected. The shot had missed her by one inch—no more. She could tell by what was left of her outrigger and marks elsewhere. The angle at which she had dived had been her salvation."

"Nobody had ever heard of a dive like that. Later, making her own time, E-31 'put back to port for repairs.'"

Edwin Sproul, of Lima, spent over-Sunday with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Sproul.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baxter and Miss Effie Custer were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staver, of Allentown.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ruhlen, sons Herman and George, and daughter, Bertha, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Roush, of Blue Lick.

Mr. and Mrs. William French and Mrs. Rebecca Yoakum spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs, of Perry township.

George Ruhlen spent Sunday afternoon at A. E. Davis.

Bertha Ruhlen called at David Byerly's, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boxwell and son, of Lima, spent several days of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hellman.

Mrs. Martha Bowman, of Piqua, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jason Rumbaugh, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joan Cook, of Midlepoint, spent Sunday at William Cook's.

Miss Ethel Steele, of Beaverdam, and Earl Falkner, of Norwalk, spent over-Sunday at Isaiah Steele's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Bassitt and Oscar Bassitt were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mattie Fisher, of Lafayette.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Heifer spent Tuesday evening at G. R. Fetter's.

Mrs. Annie Rumbaugh and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Musser, of Dessenburg, Sunday.

Mrs. Catherine Esmonde and son, John, spent Tuesday with Mrs. J. E. Fetter.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cook and family motored to Toledo, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Zerkle and children, of Buckland, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar DeVoe. Edward Nelson spent Tuesday evening at G. R. Fetter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Laign entertained a number of friends at dinner, Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. William Laign and son, Joe, of Elida; Mrs. Gathier and daughter, Robert Laign, all of Lima; Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Laign and Miss Edna Neff, of Bowman road.

Mrs. Nannie Hadsell spent Tuesday with Mrs. Andrew Hellman.

Walter Cotner took supper at J. K. Lyle's, Friday evening.

The Bath township schools will be closed all day, in order that the pupils may attend the fair.

MARGY CLAYTON TODAY:
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MOTHER OF THIRTEEN SONS STILL HOPES FOR GIRLS

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Mrs. Joseph Pietroziello, of Brooklyn, has just given birth to her thirteenth son. None of her babies has been of the fair sex. She and her husband said today they still had hopes of raising a fine bevy of girls. Mr. Pietroziello is the uncle of Al Plantadosi, who wrote the song: "I Didn't Raise My Boy to Be a Soldier." But Mr. Pietroziello said today his sons will be right in kahlki, if of the proper age, whenever the country is in danger. He hopes then, that a whole nation of them

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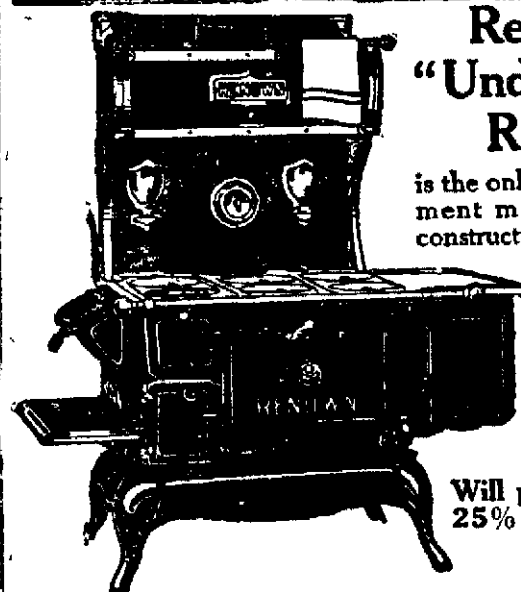


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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29.

WEATHER—Fair to-
night and Saturday;
colder tonight with
frost; rising temperature Sat-
urday.

"REFRESHMENTS"

I WONDER how often the society
editor writes "refreshments
will be served," or "the meet-
ing was concluded with delectable
refreshments." Then, too, I wonder
how many always look to see if
"refreshments" is included in the
announcement before they make up
their mind to attend the meeting.

Like Grape-Nuts, "there's a reason"
for the appearance of the over-
worked word. Those who are inter-
ested in bringing together all the
members, to have a crowd, realize
the drawing power of the word "re-
freshments." Without it the impor-
tance of the meeting would be little.

You all know the axiom "the way
to a man's heart is through his stom-
ach," we might make a new one and
say "the way to a woman's interest
is through her appreciation for re-
freshments."

I know of one club organized for
philanthropic work but which
wouldn't give five cents to a deserv-
ing medicant if they weren't stimu-
lated with refreshments at their
meetings. It has become the draw-
ing card of the organization, this
serving of "a dainty lunch." When
I spoke to the president of the club
about doing away with the useless
expenditure of money to satisfy the
inner man (or I should say woman),
she threw up her hands in horror
and exclaimed "We wouldn't have
any one there if we did that."

A society editor once told me that
some days she fairly grew sick from
over-eating (she, by the way, has a
strong imagination) the "delectable
lunches" and "delicious refresh-
ments" that came in. Of course,
she explained, it was very proper to
have all those things, because she
herself enjoyed a party or a meeting
all the more for that reason.

There is nothing terribly wrong in
the matter. It's merely very funny,
and strange, and foolish, if you'll be
honest with your self and count up
the times the word "refreshments"
has lured you forth to a stupid meet-
ing. One wonders why the politicians
don't adopt the plan. Its an old,
old fact that the men are more sus-
ceptible to the call of the food.

TIPS FROM TEXAS.
(Dallas News.)
Self-reliance is the best kind.

Politics is a game of draw in
which the ante goes higher every
year.

There are some who can not do
unto others as they would have the
others do unto them, because they
haven't the \$5.

The glutton seems to believe that
the only way for a man to hold his
own is to eat it.

**NEW YORK MAY FORCE
BREAD SALE BY WEIGHT**

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—It is ex-
pected the board of aldermen will
pass the proposed ordinance stipu-
lating that the standard loaf of
bread weigh sixteen ounces and
that the weight of every loaf of
bread sold be stamped on its label.
The usual five cent loaf is now being
sold for six cents by most bakers
here.

CLY, Pa.—The smallest public
school in the world, containing desk
room for 12 pupils, located near
here, is seeking a teacher. This year
only 11 pupils attended.

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The kind of Service
that gives you a lit-
tle more than you
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The kind of Service
that is not content
until YOU say "I'm
satisfied."

You will find that
kind of Service
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Small service is true service
while it lasts
Of friends, however humble,
scorn not one.
The daisy by the shadow that it
casts
Protects the lingering dew-
drops from the sun
—William Wordsworth.

Miss Marian Hinckley of Poca-
teloo, Idaho, who for the past week
has been the guest of Mrs. A. T.
MacDonell, will leave tomorrow for
New York where she will enter the
Frohman Dramatic school. Miss
Hinckley was a former resident of
this city, and during her visit here
has been the honor guest of many
pretty affairs.

Miss Helen Kahle leaves today to
spend the week end at Monet Hall,
Delaware, Ohio.

Warren Parmenter left this morn-
ing for Ann Harbor, Mich. where he
will enter his freshman year at the
University of Michigan.

Mrs. Zara DuPont of Cleveland,
first vice president of the Ohio
Woman Suffrage association, arrived
in Lima last evening, to confer with
the officers of the Political Equality
club, concerning the convention to
be held here this fall.

Word has been received by Mrs.
S. Spellacy of the birth of a son,
Klein Ralph, to her daughter, Mrs.
Charles Stewart of Coalings, Cal.
Mrs. Stewart was formerly Miss
Louise Spellacy.

Miss Marian Williams of Toledo
is the guest for the day of Miss Ger-
trude Buesse, of West Market street.

Miss Helen Thompson leaves Mon-
day for Cincinnati, where she will
study music at the College of Music.

Women golfers from Toledo ar-
rived this morning at 10 o'clock. Al-
though the weather is not so favor-
able for the match as they would
wish, the women will play off the
match after which luncheon will be
served at the Country club. Lima
women are in good form and hope
to win from their opponents who as
yet have not suffered defeat from
the Lima women.

Mrs. D. A. Dimond was the charm-
ing hostess Wednesday evening of a
pretty euchre party given at her
home on North Main street. Five
tables were filled for play the prizes
for the evening being won by Mrs.
M. McNamara and Mrs. Harry
Pfumm. Delicious refreshments
were served at the close of the even-
ing. Asters were used throughout
the rooms making a lovely back-
ground for the guests who were the
Misses Katherine Killoran, Bessie
Dimond, Teressa Longmire and Lil-
lian Duggan. Mrs. J. W. Shanahan,
Mrs. M. McNamara, Mrs. Joe Di-
mond, Mrs. John Foley, Mrs. Henry
O'Brien, Mrs. W. M. Donahue, Mrs.
M. Daly, Mrs. P. Mineugh, Mrs.
Henry Pfumm, Mrs. Walter Conney,
Mrs. Charles Dimond, Mrs. J. F.
O'Connor, Mrs. L. O'Connell, Mrs.
Thomas Shanahan and Mrs. John
McNamara. Miss Lillian Duggan,
sister of the hostess, assisted
throughout the evening.

Postponement of the Agenda club
was made from yesterday until two
weeks on account of illness.

Mrs. D. J. Cable entertained at
her country home yesterday with a
luncheon complimenting her mother,
Mrs. J. I. Cable. Pink roses centered
the table. Guests included: Mrs.
C. V. Stephens, Mrs. A. Watson, Mrs.
Charles East, Mrs. Frank Pennell,
Mrs. L. C. Binkley, Mrs. L. E. Jus-
tus, Mrs. M. Evans, Mrs. Davis
Johnson and Mrs. Clippiner.

Mrs. William Annatt, of Woster, is
the house guest of Mrs. W. H. Har-
per, of West High street. Mrs.
Annatt, who was a former resident
of Lima, came to attend the recep-
tion of the Woman's Music club at
the home of Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie.

Mrs. William Aiken, of Bellefont-
aine, is the guest of her daughter,
Mrs. Homer Hughes, of North Col-
lett street.

Mrs. Adam May is the guest of
friends in Wapakoneta.

Mrs. Samuel Colton, who has been
the guest of Mrs. A. Almer, of Del-
phos, for the past week, returned to
her home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Sears, Miss
Zelda Sears and Mr. Earl Bliner, of
Spencer, spent the day yester-
day with friends.

Mrs. Anna Jones and Mary Jones
left yesterday for Jonestown, where
they will spend several days as
guests of relatives.

Miss Bessie Creps leaves for Wash-
ington, D. C., Tuesday, where she
will attend school during the win-
ter.

Daughters of the American Revolu-
tion met last evening at the home
of Mrs. J. O. Ohler. This was a
called meeting for the purpose of
electing a new treasurer to fill the
office left vacant by Mrs. Luah But-
ler, but on account of the lack of a
quorum of the board of management
this was put over to the first regu-

lar meeting. Delegates were elected,
however, for the annual convention
of the Ohio D. A. R. at Cincinnati,
October 31, to November 2. Rep-
resentatives of the Lima chapter
will be Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, Mrs.
J. O. Ohler, Mrs. Lena B. Davis and
Mrs. J. R. Welch. Alternates chosen
are, Mrs. O. B. Selfridge, Mrs. Fred
C. Beam, Mrs. Ralph Bates, Mrs.
Frank Bell, Mrs. Luah Butler, Mrs.
Thomas McLaughlin and Mrs. W. B.
VanNote. The first regular meet-
ing will be held November 11 at the
home of Mrs. F. G. Borges.

Mrs. W. R. Rumbaugh and daugh-
ter, Irene, of Chicago, are the guests
of Mr. and Mrs. George Richter, of
South Atlantic avenue.

Miss Inga Johnson, of West Mar-
ket street, will entertain the Girls'
Embroidery club at her home tomor-
row afternoon.

SHE LETS THEM FIGHT IT OUT.

"The Mender of Broken Hearts,"
as friends call a woman in Philadel-
phia, is told about in the October
American Magazine. One of her
methods follows:

"We have a few fights here every
day," she says. "I believe in bring-
ing a man and woman together in
this office and letting them scrap it
out. We frequently have fist fights,
and have to separate the fighters.
But are not a few blows worth it,
when the discussion involves the
bringing up of five or six children?"

NEW PRUSSIAN TAX HITS ALL MALES AGED 15 TO 60

BERLIN, Sept. 29.—The adminis-
tration of Easter Prussia has decid-
ed to collect a head tax from all
male inhabitants of the province.
The tax amounts to \$1.50 to \$2, ac-
cording to the age and earning ca-
pacity, and has to be paid by all
boys and men between the ages of
15 and 60 years. The money thus
raised is to be turned over to the
communities to reimburse them for
their enormous war expenses.

Hints for the Housewife

Menus for tomorrow and Sunday
given below are excellent for this
time of the year:

SATURDAY.
Breakfast.
Grapes
Roast beef hash with poached eggs
Gluten Gems
Lunch or Supper.
Scalloped dried beef
Baked Potatoes
Waffles and Honey.

Dinner.
Baked Ham Chili Sauce
Scalloped Cabbage
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Indian Pudding.

SUNDAY.
Breakfast.
Grapefruit
Baked Homemade Sausage
Corn Muffins.

Mid-day Dinner.
Roast Chicken Celery Salad
Mashed Potatoes
Baked Pumpkin Creamed Onions
Coffee

Supper.
Cold Sliced Ham
Buttered Toast Apple-celery Salad
Orange Jolly
Whole-Wheat Gingerbread.

Peach Bavarian Cream: Allow to
1 dozen peaches 1-2 box gelatine, 1
cup sugar and 1 point cream. Soak
the gelatine in a cup of cold water
for an hour, strain the peaches
through a sieve and simmer with the
sugar for 20 minutes. Take the
peaches from the fire, add the gela-
tine, stir until dissolved, then set
the bowl containing the mixture in a pan
of ice water. As it begins to

thicken, stir into it a point of whip-
ped cream. Pour into molds and set
away to harden. Serve with whip-
ped cream.

Homemade Jolly Case.

An attractive gift for a house-
wife, and one which can be made
easily and quickly, even by a child,
is a case for dollies and centerpieces,
in which they can be smoothly laid
away in the linen drawer of the side-
board. The case is made of a long
piece of cretonne, chintz, or plain
linen of the same or a contrasting
color, and at one end a round stick
should be inserted, upon which to
roll the dollies. A piece of broom
handle makes a good size for this
purpose. A space is left at one end
as a casing for the stick, which has
both ends rounded off with a piece
of heavy sandpaper. A piece of tape
or ribbon ties around the roll when
it is completed.

Apple Farci.

Wash and core four good-sized
apples, Jonathans preferred. With a
vegetable scoop or a teaspoon re-
move several pieces from the sides of
each apple, taking care, however,
that the cavity so made does not
extend to the core. Put four figs,
eight dates, 1-4 cup of raisins, 1-4
cup of nut meats, and the pieces of
apple through the food chopper, and
fill the cavities of the apples, cores
and all, with this mixture. Place
in a small baking pan with 1-2 cup
of water and two tablespoons of
butter, sprinkle with 1-4 cup of
sugar, cover, and bake slowly until
tender. Remove from the pan, add-
ing whatever sirup there may be
left to each apple, and serve either
plain or with cream.

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Daily Fashion Hint



The top coat for the fall sea-
son is obtainable in many ex-
tremely attractive styles. In-
variably it is seven-eighths to
full length. Velours de laine
and other novelty pile fabrics
are used in these garments. The
coat illustrated is of dark
brown velours de laine with
gracefully flared coat, semi-fitted
at the waistline. Silk stitching
affords very attractive trim-
ming and a deep border of bea-
ver fur serves to finish the hem,
cuffs and convertible collar.

SEVERE CRITICS.

Alice—I like Tom immensely, and
he's very much the gentleman, but
he does like to talk about himself.
Grace—Yes, dear, your knight
bath a thousand I's—Puck.

A Brother Worth Having

By Beatrice Fairfax

A LITTLE SERMONETTE.
THERE is nothing more splen-
did than a real friendship
between brother and sister.
It seems to me very tragic that such
friendships are rare. A little un-
derstanding, a little toleration, a lit-
tle respect for each other's view-
point and personality would prob-
ably make a real friendship between
brother and sister a fore-gone con-
clusion.

No brother can prove his real in-
terest in his sister by taking a sus-
picious attitude toward every friend
she has or by refusing to let her
share the pleasures which he gener-
ally approves of for other girls or by
selfishly neglecting her.

And no sister can cement happy
relationship between her brother and
herself by nagging at him for every-
thing he does and by making da-
mands of all sorts on him and by
prying into his affairs.

The way to possess a brother worth
having is to be a sister worth having
—and of course the converse of the
proposition is equally true.

There are a few little things and
some large ones in which brothers
and sisters ought to defer to each
other. Here is just an outline sug-
gestion of them. Work them up and
apply them to your own individual
cases and see what harmony in your
family they produce.

Brothers, attention. Don't issue
orders to your sister. If you see
her going about with boys and girls
of whom you suspect evil, make sure
you are right and then persuade her
that you love her too much to permit
her to be criticised because of her
companions.

Don't try to take all her fun away
from her by cutting her off from the
only people she knows, but exert
yourself to substitute other friends.
Be grateful for any little favors she
does you and don't ever demand as
your right the sewing on buttons or
the mending of socks.

Be thoughtful, considerate, gener-
ous; bring some of the courtesy you
show your sweetheart into your
treatment of your sister. Make a

friend and confidante of her. Show
a little respect for her and a little
believe in the fact that she has brains
and judgment and a logical mind to
which you can appeal—even if "she
is a woman."

Now, girls, here's your little ser-
monette. Study your brother's tastes
and whims and try to please him
with little bits of attention such as a
woman has in her power to offer.

a man. When he introduces you to
his friends, try to make a good im-
pression; remember, he has a certain
pride in his own family.

Accept advice with the feeling and
attitude that brother probably
knows whereof he speaks and means
it for your own good when he offers
suggestions. His worldly wisdom
will save you from mistakes that
might be fatal to your happiness. His
natural chivalry will protect you in
many difficult situations.

The point is that brothers and sis-
ters ought to be chums—pals—the
best of friends. I suggest that they
try it.

Beautiful Bust and Shoulders
are possible if you will wear a scientifically constructed
Bien Jolie Brassiere.
The dragging weight of an unbalanced bust stretches the
supporting muscles that the contour of the figure is spoiled.
put the bust back where it be-
longs, prevent the full bust from
having the appearance of flap-
piness, eliminate the danger of
dragging muscles and confine the
flesh of the shoulder giving a
graceful line to the entire upper body.
They are the daintiest and most serviceable garments imagi-
nable—come in all materials and styles: Cross Back, Hook
Front, Surplice, Bandeau, etc. Bonded with "Walloh," the
rarest tissue, permitting washing without removal.
Have your dealer show you Bien Jolie Brassieres, if not stock-
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size the fact that good gloves are scarce.—Fill your
wants now for Fall and Spring, is our tip.

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Chamoisette and Cashmere
50c AND UP
Leatherette Pique Sewn
75c AND UP
Kid Gloves, Best Values
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\$1.65 AND UP
Washable Cape Gloves
\$1.25 AND UP
Cape Gloves, Best Value
\$1.00 AND UP

For Infants And Children.

Wool Mittens
15c AND UP
Wool Gloves
25c AND UP
Cashmerette and Chamoisette
35c AND UP
Cape Gloves, Fleece Lined
50c AND UP
Fur Top Mittens
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A Large Selection of High Grade Meats at Prices Unexcelled.

Beef Pot Roasts, lb.	12c	Fresh Sliced Liver, lb.	8c	California Hams, lb.	16c
Beef Roast, meaty rib roll- ing beef, lb.	11c	Fresh Pig Hearts, lb.	12c	Hallbut Steak, lb.	15c
Pork Roasts, young pig shoulders, lb.	17c	Fresh Brains, lb.	12c	Fresh Oysters, qt.	37c
Shoulder Roasts, native veal, lb.	18c	Fresh Smoked Weiners, lb.	14c	Highest grade White Oleo, lb.	20c
Leg Spring Lamb, lb.	19c	Smoked Sausage, lb.	14c	Our 18c Coffee for.	15c
Shoulder Roast of lamb, lb.	17c	Knockers, lb.	14c	1/2 lb. Imperial Tea for.	14c
Hamburger Steak, lb.	14c	Ham Bologna, lb.	15c	3-5c cans Cleanser for.	10c
Sirloin St. K. cut from prime beef, lb.	17c	Try our fancy Sliced Bacon.	25c	Fresh Eggs, doz.	33c
Porter House Steak, lb.	21c	Smoked Ham, sliced, all center cuts, lb.	30c	3-5c cakes Sweetheart Soap.	12c
Pork Chops, all lean loin chops, lb.	22c	Pickled Pigs' Feet, lb.	6c	Golden Egg Spaghetti or macaroni, 5 for.	15c
Fresh Sausage, lb.	14c	Pickled Pork, lb.	17c		

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Amusements

THE FAUROT'S PICTURES.

In "The Devil at His Elbow," Metro presents one of the best productions they have offered at the Faurot in some time. There is a gripping story which contains a vital lesson without being "preachy" and interests from start to finish, the splendid photography and settings of great merit, while Clifford Bruce, Dorothy Green and the cast in their support bring the acting up to the level of their surroundings. The program also contains a most amusing comedy, "Nobody Home," in which Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew are delightful, and new Paramount photographs, which contain a number of interesting subjects. Last times tonight.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN AGAIN.

It wouldn't be quite right to let a week go by without our old friend Chaplin giving us a little entertainment, so arrangements have been made for Charlie to appear at The Royal tomorrow in the two-reel feature "Charlie the Heart Throb." Of course one can imagine what Charlie does in this feature. The feature is interspersed with flashes of Charlie and pretty girls and his antics in this will be a revelation to many of our curbstone mashers. Charlie gets mashed once in a while, too, so that will be a double lesson to the too flirtatious kind. Besides this other films will be shown, so attend the Royal tomorrow.

FANTOMAS IS COMING.

So many requests have been pouring in for the exhibition of the famous Fantomas series in the city that the first will be shown at The Royal, Sunday. This is the story of a criminal whose many weird and mysterious crimes were the sensation of Paris and is the work of the hand of that master of fiction, Jespar. More will be told of this great picture in a later issue.

AT THE ROYAL.

At The Royal today is shown a picture of unusual interest insofar as it was taken at Joliet penitentiary, Illinois, shows the actual routine of the prison, as well as the real warden, chaplain, trustees, etc. Bryant Washburn, Marguerite Clayton, Pat Calhoun and John Cossar compose

EXTREME WEAKNESS AND SUFFERING

Read How Mrs. Goodling got Relief and Strength.

York, Pa.—"I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and found it to be all you say it is. I was so sick that I could not stand at my sink to wash dishes and I could not sit without a pillow under me. I had the doctor every few days but since I have taken the Compound I don't have to send for him. I have had three children and could not raise any of them, but since I have taken the Compound I have a bright baby boy. I advise every suffering woman to try it and get relief. It has done wonders for me."—Mrs. CATHERINE GOODLING, 188 E. King Street, York, Pa.

When a medicine has been successful in bringing health to so many, no woman has a right to say without trying it. "I do not believe it will help me." There must be more than a hundred thousand women in this country who, like Mrs. Goodling, have proven what wonders Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound can do for weak and ailing women. Try it and see for yourself.

If there are any complications you don't understand, write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

FAUROT OPERA HOUSE TODAY

ADDED FEATURE: DRINK AND A WOMAN PLAY HAVOC WITH BIG MAN IN "THE DEVIL AT HIS ELBOW" A SACT METRO WONDERPLAY STARRING DOROTHY GREEN AND CLIFFORD BRUCE

MR. & MRS. SIDNEY DREW IN A NEW COMEDY, "NOBODY HOME" Topping the Town for Quality

ADDED FEATURE: Paramount Pictographs MAKING A FIREMAN, BETTER BABIES, WEAVING IN WOOD, PICNICS FOR TWO, GETTING THE RIGHT START

Orpheum TODAY Matinee and Night
SPECIAL FEATURE "Amy Butler and Blues" VAUDEVILLE'S GREATEST NOVELTY
4—OTHER GOOD ACTS—4
MATINEE AT 2:30—PRICES, 10 AND 15 CENTS
NIGHTS AT 7:30 AND 9:00—PRICES, 10, 20 AND 25 CENTS

BISHOP PRAISES NEW MISSION FATHERS IN ST. GERARD PARISH

Bishop Joseph Schrembs of the Toledo diocese of Catholic churches, in giving his annual message on the subject of development in the diocese for the past year, has the following to say of the coming of the Redemptorists to Lima:

"On May 14 of this year, it was our privilege to welcome to the diocese a missionary foundation of the Great Order of the Redemptorists, Fathers, founded by St. Alphonsus of Ligouri. They will have charge of a new parish established in the northern part of Lima. A large tract of land with a serviceable house was purchased and divine service is held for the present, in the residence. Plans are being drawn for a new church and school.

"The congregation has been placed under the patronage of St. Gerard Majella, the great wonderworker of the Redemptorist order, who was canonized on December 11, 1904, by Pope Pius X., of blessed memory. Most religious orders willingly receive young men, who, while not called to the priesthood, yet desire to consecrate their lives to God as lay brothers, and thus offer them a splendid opportunity for personal sanctification as well as useful work in the service of the church.

"The fathers at Lima also have charge of the state hospital at that place, as well as the little mission at Bluffton. However, their work is not merely parochial. Their house at Lima will be a mission center, and the fathers will be ever ready to give missions and retreats, or to assist our diocesan clergy in their various needs."

The bishop's full message was published in the Toledo Record (Catholic) this week.

STONEWALL JACKSON'S WAY! Big feature at Dreamland today.

Don't Neglect Your Cold. Neglected colds get worse, instead of better. A stuffed head, a tight chest must be relieved at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is Nature's remedy. Honey and glycerine heal the irritated membrane, antiseptic tar loosens the phlegm, you breathe easier and your cold is broken up. Pleasant to take, Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is an ideal remedy for children as well as grown-ups. At your Druggist, 25c.

CHRONIC DYSENTERY.

"An old gentleman of this town who was almost at the point of death with chronic dysentery some time ago and had given up all hope of recovery was induced to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. One dose stopped the discharge, and after taking a few more doses he was completely cured," writes J. L. Baer, West Manchester, Pa. "Many residents of Baer's Station can testify to the truth of the above and were aware of the old gentleman's condition." Obtainable everywhere. mo-we-fr

THIS CATERER HAS MILLIONS OF CUSTOMERS.

The October American Magazine says:

"In common ordinary business parlance Harry Stevens is a caterer, only not another one in the world has so many customers. Probably he has kept more crowds in good humor than any other man in the country, for baseball is not the only source of his income. But baseball is the big source. He got his start in baseball and he has set it to it. And what pleasure is there watching a game if you have to sit on a hard seat without a good cigar or a bottle of pop on a hot day, or peanuts to munch or a score card to keep you busy? Ten thousand dyed-in-the-wool fans answer with one voice, 'Give us our pop! Give us our peanuts!' And Harry Stevens gives them all they want as long as the nickels and dimes are ready."

PEONIES! PEONIES! PEONIES!

Now is the right time to plant them. I have 900 of the finest and best large blooming varieties. All colors. Eph Roush Nursery, 2½ miles northeast of Lima. Phone West-1225. 2813

FATALLY SHOT IN TAXICAB AFFRAY

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 29.—Frank Marshall, a wealthy restaurant keeper, died at his home in Brookline early today following a mysterious shooting affray in a taxicab. Members of the family refuse to discuss the affair.

Joseph McCarthy, head of the Taxi Service company, added further mystery to the case by saying that one of his drivers was shot near the Marshall home in Brookline last night.

Marshall was the father of Carl Marshall, formerly captain of the Harvard football team.

HALF BILLION FOR SODA AND ICE CREAM THIS YEAR

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—Experts have estimated today that \$500,000,000 is the retail value of the soda, sundae, and other fountain refreshment sold in the United States in 1916. The soda fountain is a great American institution. Americans have introduced it successfully in Australia and slightly in England, but elsewhere it is unknown. Two hundred million gallons of ice cream will be consumed in the United States this year, according to the statistician for the National Association of Ice Cream Manufacturers. This means a retail value of \$80,000,000. There are about 100,000 soda fountains in the United States, more than half of them in drug stores.

PRISON REFORM MOVIES!! At Royal today in "Worth While."

CLEVELAND—Peter Carroll, ex-councilman and close friend of the late Tom L. Johnson, died here today after two months' illness. For many years Carroll, while maintaining quarters at a leading hotel, preferred to sleep in a room over his livery stable.

G. E. BLUEM Unusual Styles and Materials In Women's Suits for Fall at \$22.50 and \$25--Bluem's



An Interesting Event for Saturday

Saturday we are offering some very unusual values in Women's Fall Suits, all beautiful new models with those good lines that give one individuality and style, made up of fine serges, heavy cheviots, double twill gaberdines, single twill gaberdines and wool poplins in black, navy, brown, burgundy and hunter's green.

They come in good length jackets cut full flare, fitted ripple effects, semi-belted and full belted models, all good satin linings, some with fur trimmed collars, some velvet and button trimmed. Skirts come in full flare styles so popular this season. Sizes 16, 18, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44.

Just the kind of Suits for all around hard wear, yet of such good style and such fine quality one will always feel well dressed in them for almost any occasion.

Two Prices: \$22.50 and \$25.00

Beautiful Quality Silks at \$1.49 Yd.

The balance of this week you have choice of one table full of beautiful Silks in Pussy Willow, Crepes, Satin Charmeuse, Satin Brocades and novelty weaves, in blues, browns, black-and-white, navy, tans, rose, cerise, pink, onion, Copen, grey, green and black grounds with figures, stripes and floral designs in self or contrasting colors. The quality of these silks is beautiful—a quality that sold originally at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 the yard, while they last, \$1.49 yard.

These silk fabrics are styles suited for dresses, combination suits, waists, party and dance frocks, elegant coat lining, etc. Be sure to have a look at them.

Many Other Interesting Values for Saturday Crepe de Chene Blouses Just In---at \$3.95

We just received a big lot of Crepe de Chene Suit Blouses in white, flesh, maize and peach shades, a very good quality, well made, neat pretty styles, splendidly fitting garments, at \$3.95 each. Also, New Georgetown Crepe Blouses in white and flesh, excellent quality, pretty styles, at only \$4.95 each. A very good garment at this price.

New Auto Robes

You will need a new Auto Robe or two for these cool days and evenings. See our line before purchasing. We have an all wool Robe, cravenetted, wind, dust and practically rain proof, beautiful dark plaid styles.

Also Steamer Rugs and Indian Blankets in all styles and colors.

Prices—\$3.50 to \$10.00 each.

Silk Petticoats

New gowns and new suits call for new petticoats. You can find just what you want here. A wonderful line—larger and better than ever before. All styles, all colors and all the wanted materials, Jersey top, all satin or all taffeta in plain colors or fancy, \$2.98, \$3.98, \$5.00, \$6.50 to \$15.00.

(Annex, first floor)

\$1.75 Curtain Stretchers, \$1.10

50 sets of Curtain Stretchers, regular values, regular size, good heavy frames, good a very well made frame, go Saturday at \$1.19 set. You will find it a pleasure to launder your curtains with a set of these stretchers.

(Annex, second floor)

Women's Silk Hosiery

Women's Silk Hosiery in all colors, including the new grays, blues and browns, stripes and two-tone effects, \$1.25 and \$1.50 pair.

Women's Silk Plated Hosiery in black, white, sky, navy, gray, pink and suede, also a black-and-white stripe boot, at 50c pair.

Knit Underwear--Fall Weight

Women's Cotton Union Suits, medium weight, ankle length, high neck, long sleeve; low neck, sleeveless, all sizes, 89c.

Men's Union Suits, cotton or fleeced, white or ecru, medium weight, \$1.00.

Fleeced Union Suits for boys or girls, white, cream or grey, sizes up to 16 yr., 50c.

Children's Union Suits, fleeced, with tape and tons, up to 12 yr. sizes, 59c.

Childrens Coats and Hats

A very extensive line of Children's Coats for Fall and Winter await you at Bluem's (Annex, first floor). They come in velvets, plushes, chinchillas, cheviots, broadcloths and corduroys. Fur and velvet trimmed. All colors. Sizes 6 mo. to 12 yrs.; at \$2.98 to \$18.00.

Children's Hats of fur, velvet, felt and corduroy, all colors, new shapes, at \$1.50 to \$5.00. 2 to 12 yr. sizes.

Hoods and Caps for infants and small children, 50c to \$3.50.

Sweaters and Sweater Sets in all colors and materials, 6 mo. to 12 yr. sizes, at all prices.

Ruby Gloss Polish

You can now get Ruby Gloss Polish, a very high grade furniture polish, especially good for fine furniture, at Bluem's, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottle.

1 large Cedar Oil Mop with 1 qt. of Cedar Oil Polish for floors, 95c for the two. (Annex, second floor)

Bedspreads and Towels for Hotels and Rooming Houses

Saturday you will be able to buy some good Bedspreads and Towels especially suited for hotels and rooming-houses—many others will want them, too—at very special prices. These Bedspreads are regular size.

\$2.00 Bedspreads at \$1.69

\$1.75 Bedspreads at \$1.50

\$1.50 Bedspreads at \$1.25

Cotton Huck Towels, \$1.20 and \$1.35 dozen. Good size and good weight. (Main floor, South aisle)

Embroidered Pillow Cases

In the Annex (first floor) you will find Embroidered Pillow Cases, medallion pattern, h. s. or scalloped hems, regulation size, at only 50c pair, Saturday. About enough to last the day out.

Beautiful New Art Goods for fancy work. — Annex.



G. E. BLUEM



A complete line of Blankets at all prices. — Annex.

JUDGE BEN LINDSEY AVERS COLORADO IS FOR THE PRESIDENT

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Ben Lindsey, the fighting judge of Denver, characterized as ridiculous the claim of the republican national committee, that 99 per cent of the progressives of Colorado have returned to the republican party under the harmonizing influence of Mr. Charles E. Hughes' candidacy. On the contrary, Judge Lindsey says that the republicans won't get an even break in the distribution of the progressive votes of Colorado, and he added with emphasis "it's a cinch for Wilson in Colorado."

Judge Lindsey, who is one of the leading progressives of the country and who was urged by Governor Hiram Johnson, of California, as Colonel Roosevelt's running mate as the vice presidential candidate of the progressive party in 1912, called at democratic headquarters for a conference with National Chairman Vance C. McCormick, yesterday afternoon.

"It is beyond me to understand," said Judge Lindsey, "how any sincere believer in the principles of the progressive party as enunciated in the platform of 1912 can support the candidacy of Mr. Hughes. He is aligned with the reactionary influences of the republican party and the stand-pat bosses whose conduct was responsible for the birth of the progressive party. The effort to elect Mr. Hughes is an effort to turn the government over to the same old crowd, and the progressives out west will not be a party to any such scheme."

"The situation in Colorado is typical. 'Big Steve,' otherwise A. M. Stevenson, is in control of the republican campaign—'Big Steve' who stands for all that is bad in politics is in charge of the fight to elect Mr. Hughes, who is supported also by the Guggenheim and Rockefeller interests."

"Everybody in Colorado knows Edward P. Costigan, who was twice the gubernatorial candidate of the progressive party. He is a leader in the ranks of the progressives, and he is against Mr. Charles Evans Hughes for the presidency—He is strongly against him. I expect him to support President Wilson, and he will prove a tower of strength. Mr. Costigan, like other progressives, is not deceived by the candidacy of Mr. Hughes any more than he is about the blatant claims of the republican managers that 99 per cent of the progressives have returned to the republican party."

"It is a cinch that President Wilson will carry Colorado. He is stronger than his party with the voters of the state. He has tremendous strength with the independents and progressives and with all classes of people generally. The people are prosperous, they are happy and the country is at peace. The progressives, especially, realize and appreciate that under the president's administration many legislative enactments and reforms for which the progressive party stands are accomplished facts. There are, in fact, many republicans who admire the course of the president, and who condemn the republican leadership of Colorado, who will vote for Mr. Wilson as against Mr. Hughes."

Judge Lindsey returned to Denver today.

"During the past winter I had occasion to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to my two children, who were at the time suffering from severe colds. It proved to be the very medicine they needed," writes Mrs. Myron J. Pickard, Memphis, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere. mo-wefri

HIGHEST AWARD

IN PIANO DISPLAY IS
GIVEN TO MAUS.

The H. P. Maus Piano
House Receives First
Prize.

Proof of the superiority of pianos handled by this House was demonstrated at the Allen County Fair this year as it has for many years, by receiving first prize and the ONLY FIRST PRIZE awarded on pianos. First premiums were awarded on both grand and upright pianos and player pianos.

Pianos included in this display were Chickering, Ivers & Pond, Werner, Schorer, Radle, Maynard, Schaff and Melville Clark Apollo. Beauty of tone was the principal consideration as well as finest and largest display. Lima can well be proud of this house for handling such a complete line of high grade pianos.

They also exhibited an antique piano over 100 years old, made in London, England, which attracted a great deal of attention.

A special feature was that of the Chickering, which is known to the musical world as the oldest and finest piano made in America. Many of the great masters have been awarded this famous piano from all over the world.

During Napoleon's reign at the French exposition the Chickering was awarded the Leroy Cross of Honor, which was no small token of the wonderful merits of this famous piano, as it is still attested by thousands of purchasers who have Chickering in their homes to day.

Analysis of the Situation

By SENATOR OSCAR W. UNDERWOOD, Author Underwood
Tariff Act.

I think at this time it is well to take stock of the present political conditions. It is well for us to define the great principle that controls the party in power in levying taxation before we attempt to analyze the legislation that has already been passed by the present administration. If we call the ship of state true to our principles we may make minor mistakes, but we will carry it safely into port. But if we compromise with our principles in writing legislation there is no telling what dangers may confront us now and in the future, and we abandon all justification for our having been returned to power four years ago.

The principle which guides the democratic party when it is writing revenue bills has been clearly defined in its party platform, but I know of no clearer definition of the principle than that which is defined in the party platform of 1892, when the democrats won a great victory in the country, and in the party platform of 1912 when it was again returned to power by a tremendous majority in both branches of congress and succeeded in regaining the presidency of the United States. Protection was denounced in both of the platforms referred to. The tariff act of October 1913 was written to accord with democratic principles and to harmonize with the doctrine that the purpose of levying taxation was for the purpose of raising revenue.

The charge has been made by republicans that the democratic party, in enacting its tariff legislation, has injured the great industrial development of America; and when it is pointed out to these republicans that there is a wonderful era of prosperity in the United States, that bank balances and bank clearances have never been so large, that there has never been the amount of idle money in the country hunting investment that there is at present, that interest rates have never been lower, that every man in the United States who desires employment can get it, that the production of our furnaces and our factories has never been greater—when they are faced with these indisputable facts of American prosperity and American success under the laws that are now brought about by the European war; that this country was then threatened with a deluge of importations; that disaster and hard times threatened the country.

The republicans should remember that we inherited dull times from their administration when our party came into power; that times after we came into power were gradually improving and getting better, money conditions were being relieved, men were beginning to be employed, until the outbreak of the war in Europe and when that great calamity happened it paralyzed trade, it destroyed confidence, it closed down establishments. Men were unable to look into the future. They knew that a large portion of their goods had crossed the seas and come into foreign trade; that the contending nations of Europe were battling for the sea and markets in a large portion of Europe were closed. They hesitated about conducting their business. They

slowed down the machine to see what was going to happen by reason of this foreign war. More than that, the great banking interests of this country became paralyzed with unwarranted fear for the future. It came to the floor of congress and told us that if relief was not granted immediately American markets would be deluged by the dumping of securities, and that something must be done to protect against it.

Well, the democratic congress did endeavor to protect the country against an untoward disaster, if it should ever happen; but it never happened. Those business men were unduly alarmed. Europe did not dump its securities; and an attempt is being made by laws in Europe today to make Europeans sell their American securities. In order that they can settle their balance of trade to this country. But it was that apprehension and that fear that for a few months temporarily paralyzed certain great business interests in this country. It was only temporary. As soon as confidence was restored business not only moved back to the ordinary channels of trade but has developed to an unprecedented extent.

But republicans, in their contentions, will not admit that what I say is true. They attempt to confess and avoid; they have stated so many times that before this war in Europe came on the present tariff laws enacted by the democratic party were injuring and destroying the country.

Official government reports relating to trade movements answer completely the charges made by republicans. As to foreign importations, an important and thoroughly reliable document entitled "Foreign Commerce and the Tariff, 1899-1915," shows that the actual increase in 1914 was only 7.9 per cent and the actual increase in the last year of the republican tariff was 7.7 per cent, a difference in percentage of increase of importations between the year of the republican law and the first year of the democratic law of only two-tenths of one per cent.

More than that, this report also shows that the percentage increase in general of imports is much less than that for the majority of the past 17 years; and 16 of those 17 years, republican years—when republican increases were greater than the increase that came from a democratic tariff law; and that there was before the 30th day of June, 1914, and before the war in Europe disturbed conditions in any way. I believe in an income tax. I think one of the greatest provisions of the present revenue law is the fact that for the first time in the history of the country as a matter of permanent legislation it established the principle of taxing wealth, and no matter whether the republicans return to power some day in the distant future or not, the republican party will not repeal the income tax law, because it will not deny recognition of the principle the democratic party has put on the statute books, that wealth receives a greater protection from this government than poverty, and wealth should bear a larger percentage of the burdens of government than poverty.

ed by prominent men and women of the association. Members of the South Lima church will extend a cordial welcome to delegates and visitors and are making great preparations for the meeting.

MRS. ENGLISH'S FUNERAL.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary English, wife of A. F. English, who died yesterday at the home of her father, George H. Copeland of 526 South Main street, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Christian church. The Rev. W. J. Young, pastor, will officiate. Interment will be at Woodlawn.

PLEADS GUILTY.

William McLaughlin, indicted by the grand jury for burglary, changed his plea from "not guilty" to that of "guilty" in court today and was sentenced to the penitentiary and to pay costs. His trial had been set on last Monday for October 2.

AMBULANCE TRIPS.

The Williams and Davis invalid coach made the following removals yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Ward, who has been at Kenon, where she was subjected to an operation, was removed from the Erie to 775 Atlantic avenue.

Mrs. C. A. Harritt was taken from her home at 549 South Main street, to the City hospital.

FOLDING BED SAVES TWO.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 29.—A folding bed saved the two small children of George Haynes, a section hand, near Howell, when the house was blown over by the wind and the bed closed and protected the little ones from the falling timber.

BOY EATS FUNGI, DIES.

ASHTUBULA, O., Sept. 29.—The three-year-old son of Albert Campaenal is dead and the father is dying as the result of eating fungi which they thought were harmless mushrooms. Four others who ate of the same mess are in a serious condition.

FREMONT—High school officials have put a ban on hazing following the action of upper classmen who stripped a freshman of his outer clothing and forced him to climb a pole in his B. V. D.'s to get them.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN AGAIN!

At Rialto tomorrow "Steam Heat"

DRESS UP WEEK IS DICTATED BY SENSE AND DAME FASHION

From Prehistoric Time Humanity Changed Raiment With the Season.

An attempt to deny that we mortals of the twentieth century are not the slaves of dame fashion would indeed prove a fallacy. And to be real precise it was ever thus. The cave man, ignorant though he was of the possibilities for present day style with the natural abundance of furs and feathers, did his humble best with the knowledge and equipment at hand to diversify his raiment. Semi-annually this denizen of the mountains made a pilgrimage to his favorite hunting spot to lock in a death grapple with his choice skinned provider. History tells us he fashioned this skin into garments with the aid of nothing more than a rounded stone. Crude, uncouth to be sure, but he nevertheless had the satisfaction of knowing he changed raiment, as do the trees their foliage.

So, we of the present day, realize that our desire for style is an heritage. September 30, is the beginning of what is known as national Dress-Up Week, which is the official day for this change from the old to the new. Merchants at this time have stocks replete with the latest tendencies for both men and women. The stores have assumed their autumn attire and invite you in to see what is what in dress for fall and winter '16-17.

All star feature at Strand today.

FIRST TO ESCAPE.

MARYSVILLE, O., Sept. 29.—Anna Garland, convicted of pocket picking in Cleveland, has the record of being the first woman to escape from the new woman's reformatory here. She made her get-away after supper but was found two hours later several miles from the prison.

TIMES want ads work wonders.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will offer at public auction on Wednesday, October 4, on the Widow Brown farm, 5 miles west of Lima, 2 miles west of Children's Home, the following goods: Horses, hogs, cattle, corn in the shock, oats in the bin, hay in the mow, all kinds of farm implements, buggy, harness. Terms, all under \$5 cash; all over \$5 nine months bankable note, 4 per cent off for cash.

J. F. SETTLEMIRE, Owner.
ELI LORA, Auctioneer. 29c

GOOD PLOT FOR A 'MOVIE' SCENARIO

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Sept. 29.—A tale of amazing adventures begun when the engine of their motor boat went wrong and he and a companion were compelled to drift for a week at sea, was told by Charles Borden, a bookkeeper, who had been mysteriously missing since April 7, and who returned here as cabin boy on a tramp steamer.

Borden said that he and Fred Meyer were in a motor boat on what was intended to be a week's fishing trip and that they saw no land after their engine broke down until they were landed on a rocky island, the location of which he did not know. They were taken off by an Italian vessel, which transferred them to one bound to the South seas, which was wrecked. A French steamer picked them up and landed them at Sydney, Australia, where Meyer died as a result of his privations and Borden to keep from starving joined the Australian army. Later he effected his release by masquerading an old injury to his arm, after his regiment had been ordered

to Egypt. Finally he shipped as cabin boy for the return trip home, moved to the Williams and Davis mortuary. No funeral arrangements have been made.

DIES AT DISTRICT HOSPITAL

Marco Marino, 35 years old, Italian, died at the District Tuberculosis hospital this morning. He had been suffering from the disease for

RUMMAGE SALE AT COURT
HOUSE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.
27c

NEWSON'S

Reward for Thrift
Saturday Only

100 styles suits.....\$5.00 off
200 styles coats.....\$3.00 off
125 styles hats.....\$1.00 off
90 styles skirts.....\$1.00 off
10 doz. silk blouses....\$1.00 off

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Always "Good Shoes" at
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School Shoes that will give Splendid Wear—

Boys' \$2.00, \$2.50, \$2.75
and \$3.00

Misses' Patent, Gun and Kid Shoes—

\$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50

Child's sizes, 8½ to 11½ — \$1.25, \$1.50,
\$1.75, \$1.85 and \$2.00. Shoes That Wear.

Men's Dress and general wear Shoes, all
leathers and styles—

Emersons \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00
Bracons \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00
Whitecombs... \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4

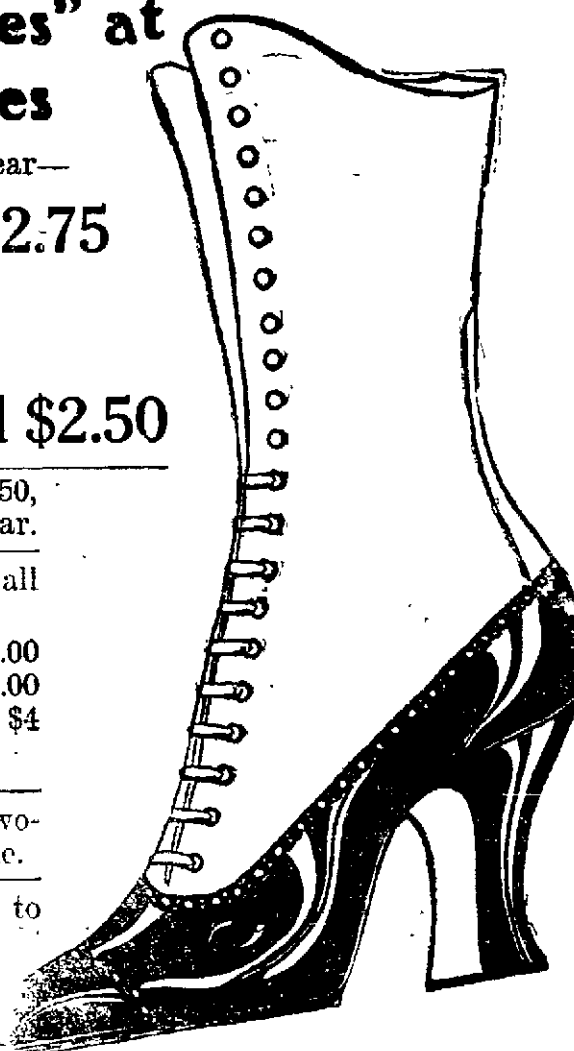
Shoes that wear well.

Latest Styles, Patent, Kid, Gun and two-
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HOLD PETITION OF WHARTON IS NOT REGULAR

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quish between socialist- and inde-

In rebuttal Judge Schroth discussed the legal aspects of the case, and in this speech tied the Blank argument in a knot. For precedent he cited the Mercer county case of a similar nature, decided by the common pleas court in 1914 and affirmed by the court of appeals. I. F. Radabaugh of Mercer county filed a petition as a candidate for "county judge," intending to run for the common pleas bench. The board of elections threw out the petitions on the ground that there isn't any such office as county judge. Radabaugh applied for a mandamus writ and was refused, the appellate court sustaining the decision. The precedent was offered as the only guide to the legal aspects of the case.

After Judge Schroth's argument the clerks and deputies went into executive session to consider the case. Their decision was unanimous, tossing the Wharton petitions into the discard and ruling that his name cannot appear on the ballot.

Plans were formulated last night for a big Young Men's Wilson-Cox club, to embrace the entire county, and as a result of an informal gathering at the headquarters of the county executive committee, Morris Knave, a mass meeting of the "first voters" in the party is scheduled for Monday evening.

Any and all young democrats, as well as the republican boys who are interested in the election of Woodrow Wilson and James M. Cox, are urged by the committee to be present at the organization. The aim of the executive committee is to have at least one active man in every precinct, with as many more as are obtainable, for organization work in getting out the registration and the vote.

That there are many young Wilson republicans appears certain, and it is only natural that there should be. There are still many straight-ticket voters among the middle-aged and elderly men, but the youngsters do not think that way. Every year the percentage of straight-ticket voting among the first voters grows smaller. The boys just turning 21, in this generation, fail to find that the partisanship of the grandfather is a divine guide or an infallible reason for not scratching a little now and then. A few questions to a group of young men, at a club or elsewhere, will prove that. That's why the democrats expect a good vote from the younger members of the republican party, on the head of the ticket, at least; and, Wilson-Cox voters from the other side of the fence will be welcomed to the democratic club.

The first speaker of the campaign, according to tentative plans now being drafted with the aid of the state bureau in charge of stump oratory, will be the Hon. Joseph McGhee, of Jackson, candidate for attorney gen-

eral. He is a brother-in-law of William H. Guyton of Lima, republican assistant secretary of state. Joe was nominated two years ago and ran well, but was defeated by some who didn't know much about him. He is an able talker and was for four years about the most capable attorney in the state department of justice, when Harmon was governor. His appearance will be managed by the Young Men's Wilson-Cox club, and the date will be October 13 or 14, according to present indications.

James W. Halphill, republican county central committee chairman, is to preside at the Memorial hall meeting October 10, when Hamble Moore, a Penrose congressman from darkest Philadelphia, will utter utterances and remark remarks about the G. O. P. issues, if any. Local republicans hope J. Hampton will put a better argument in a more dignified manner and with considerably more sense than Charles Evasive Hughes has been doing, and it's a ten-to-one bet that Halphill, while not a speaker of unusual ability, can fade his presidential candidate to a gray bleach. Judging from the recent western tour of the whicker nominee, any attorney in Lima can make a better speech.

The following editorial expression from the St. Mary's Evening Leader of Wednesday, regarding a former mayor of that beighted village who left after a turbulent regime and came to Lima to hold down one corner of the public square with a soapbox, is interesting, to say the least.

Scott Wilkins has been in the city the past few days trying to deliver the local socialists into the hands of the Western Ohio Railway company. For reasons best known to himself, Scott has seen a new light within the past few weeks as to the relative merits of municipal ownership and the turning over to the interurban railway corporation of the chief function of the electric light plant. It has scarcely been a fortnight ago, since Scott was delivering curbstome diatribes against the Western Ohio, uttering maledictions against and hurling anathemas at entrenched wealth and special privilege on general principles. He was given a respectful hearing then, because of all the principles that are not only fundamental but sacred to the man who is a real socialist, the principle of public ownership of public utilities stands at the head of the list. That, by the way, too, is a commendable feature of the socialistic doctrine, and therein lies the secret of why the party attracts so many people to its banner. Scott Wilkins is the first man claiming to be a socialist whom we have ever heard of turning his back upon the fundamental principle of the party, and he is, therefore, a traitor to the cause.

If we may be permitted to use the vernacular of the street, Scott Wilkins has been told "where to head in" by the local socialists whom he has presumed to try to deliver into the hands of the enemy. He has been told in language more forceful than elegant that he is a traitor to the cause of which he has hitherto been claiming to be a sincere and honest exponent. In other words, he has been told enough to satisfy any man who has a sensible grasp of the meaning of plain English that his days of usefulness in this cause of socialism are at an end. Whether Scott, with his exaggerated ego, will be able to grasp the situation is yet to be determined. This much is absolutely settled in advance, he will not only be unable to persuade his former brethren to abandon municipal ownership and fall into the snare which he has so cunningly set for them, out the new and strange doctrine that he is preaching will not receive even a respectful hearing.

Inasmuch as Wilkins was the man who started the socialist movement to put the Lima telephones under municipal control, enlisted Ed Blank as petition circulator, preached municipal ownership all over Lima and signed the petition to condemn the local telephone plant as an entering wedge to get hold of everything else in the city for municipal ownership, one big question naturally arises. Is it inconsistency or a business proposition involving a little easy money on the side?

Some persons have a lapse of memory on crossing a county line, which accounts for the fact that some candidates for offices involving senatorial or judicial or congressional districts are wet in a wet town and dry in a dry town. But the example of Wilkins trying to hand municipal ownership to Lima while keeping it from St. Marys will react against municipal ownership here. Those who oppose risking taxes and service on an untitled gamble, involving a costly plant, rather than intricate for the constant changes of administration and sub-

"VAMPS"

All the rags and bones and hanks of hair of the season. See the sepiu photographs of the "wrecked" women of the movies. Libels. An interesting double page of photographs showing some interesting misnomers.

Marketing by Motor Car. Simple pleasures for the farmer. The Triflers. Beginning an interesting, and out-of-the-ordinary serial, by Frederick Orin Bartlett.

Handishing Pain from Your Home. A sensible article by Edwin F. Bowers, M. D.

The Sea Adventure. The second of several fascinating stories by Richard Matthews Hallett.

Torchy Hits the High Seas. One more Sewell Ford story. Always room for one more by said author.

When You Buy the Engagement Ring. Of interest to our younger readers.

Many other interesting things for every member of the family in this week's EVERY-WEEK, with today's

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quent changes in personnel of the age that principle is a matter of dollars and cents, as well as the proverb that the way to play the game is both ends against the middle. Let not thy right hand know what thy left hand doeth."

WIFE CAUSES ARREST.

Harry Nicholson, arrested on the complaint of his wife, Rose Nicholson, because he threatened her, was arraigned in Justice Hamilton's court this morning and pleaded not guilty. His hearing was set for September 30, 9 p. m.

Want ads in The Times-Democrat always bring quick answers.

RYE AS A COVER CROP.

Rye is regarded as one of the best cover crops for Ohio, because it can withstand the winter better than any other crop used for this purpose. Land to be devoted to this crop should be seeded now.

Cover crops keep soil from washing and prevent plant food from leaching away. They take up the plant food and store it in a form that succeeding crops can use quickly. A large amount of humus is added whenever a cover crop is plowed under.

Rye may be seeded as late as October 10 in northern Ohio or even a

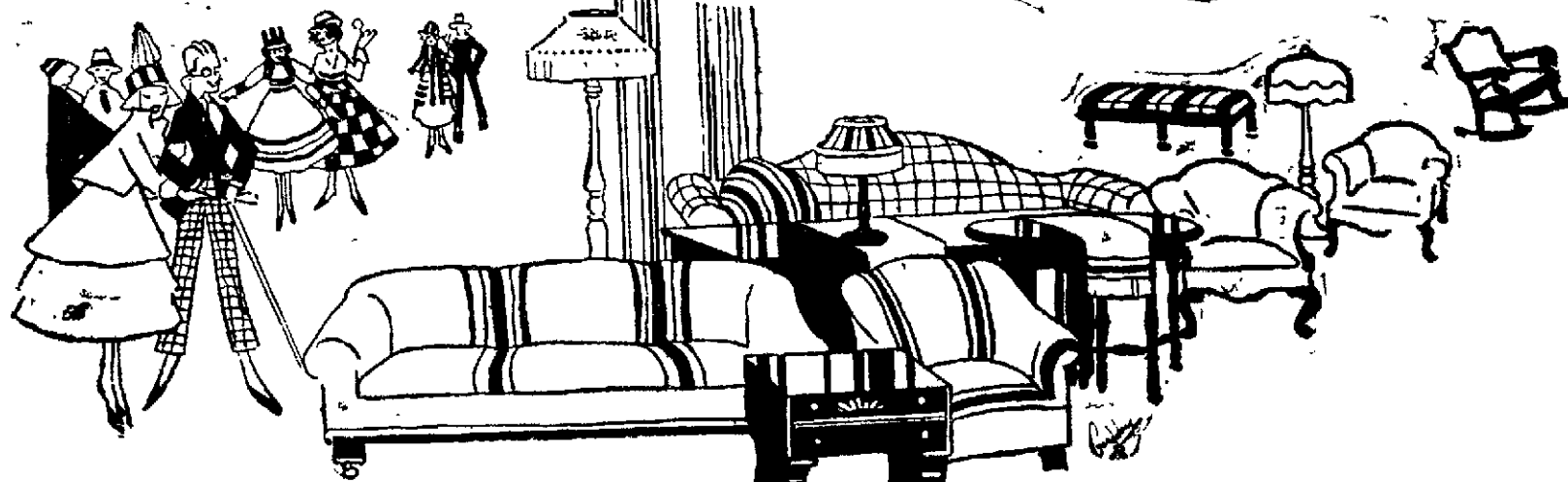
week later in the southern part of the state. At the Ohio experiment station it is seeded like wheat at the rate of two bushels to the acre. It is plowed under in the spring for corn or soybeans.

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H. & E. Sugar, 10 lbs....	76c	Potatoes, peck	41c
Flour, large sk.....	\$2.00	Cala hams, lb.	16c
Flour, small sk.....	\$1.00	Pickled pork, lb.	16c
Fresh meal, sk.....	10c	Sweet potatoes, 3 lbs....	10c
Spaghetti, pkg.	7½c	California soup beans, lb.	10c
Macaroni, pkg.	7½c	Lima beans, lb.	10c
Shredded Wheat, 2 boxes	25c	Navy beans, 2 lbs.	25c
Post Toasties, 2 pkgs....	25c	Cider vinegar, gal.	20c
Jersey corn flakes, 2 for	25c	Steel cut coffee, lb.	17c
Pink salmon, 2 cans....	25c	Apple butter, 3 lbs....	25c
Sardines, 6 cans	25c	Peanut butter, 2 lbs....	25c
Gas mantles, each.....	7½c	Gas globes, each.....	7½c
Jar rings, 2 doz.....	15c	Cranberries, qt.	10c

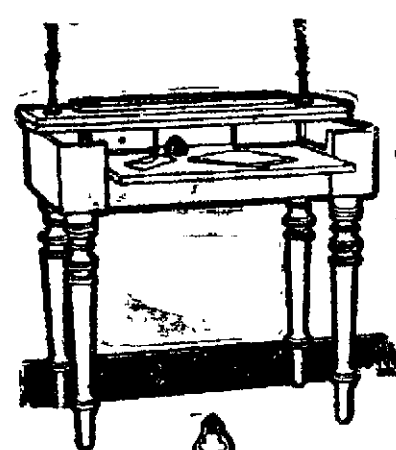
FALL OPENING



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A Woman Nowadays Wants to Embody these Things in Her Furniture Purchase, Style--- Fair Price---and Quality. Once a Neuman & Kettler Customer, Always a Customer. Thats Our Experience for Many Years. A Most Cordial Invitation to You to View a Fine Exposition of Furniture Fashions During Next Week.



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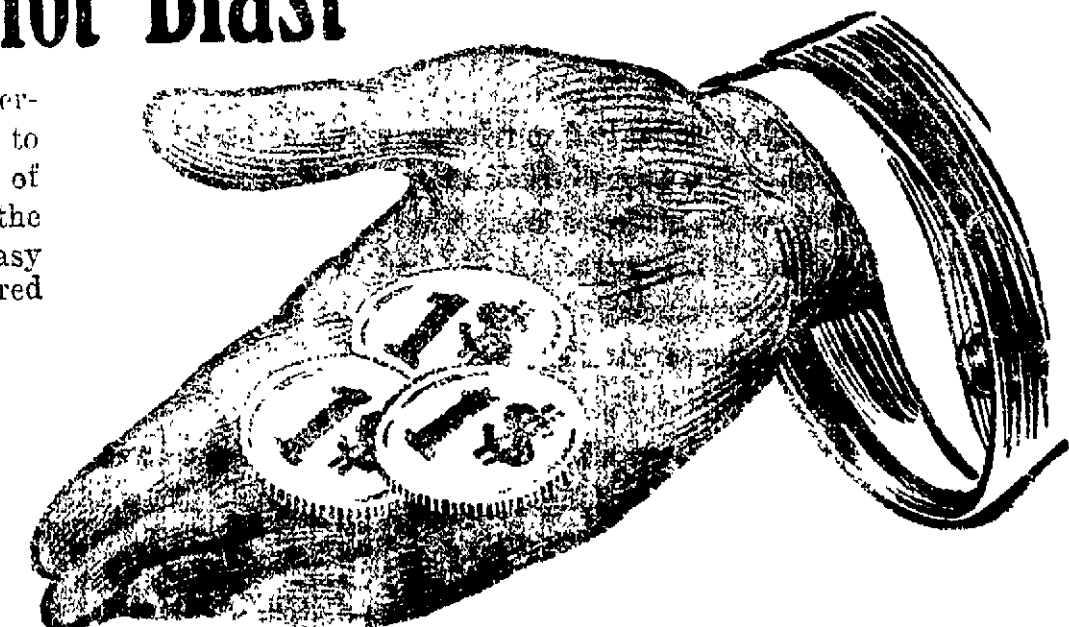
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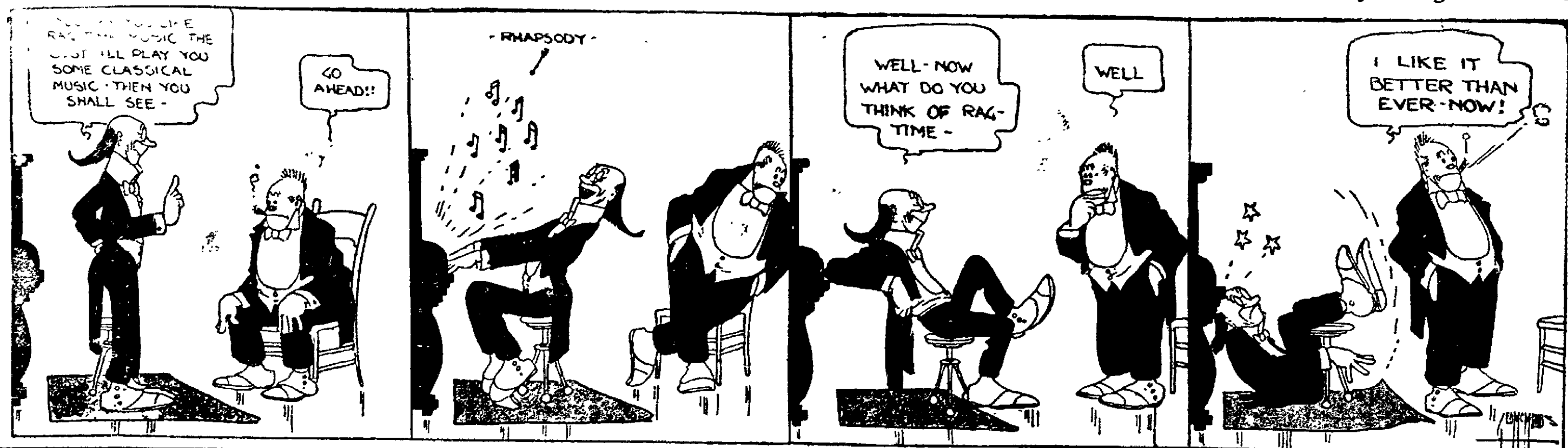
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BRINGING UP FATHER

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By George McManus



Phillies Score First Blood In Deciding Series

BROOKLYN, Sept. 29.—Philadelphia overwhelmed Brooklyn yesterday 8 to 4 in the first game of their final series, the result of which may prove a decisive factor in the National league pennant race.

Phillies. AB R H PO A E
Paskert, cf. 5 0 1 2 0 0
Bancroft, ss. 5 0 1 2 2 1
Stock, 3b. 4 0 0 0 3 0
Whitted, lf. 4 0 0 4 0 0
Cravath, rf. 2 2 1 2 0 0
Luderus, lb. 4 3 2 8 0 0
Niehoff, 2b. 3 1 1 3 3 2
Killifer, c. 3 2 0 6 1 0
Alexander, p. 4 1 1 0 2 0

Totals . . . 33 4 6 27 8 2

Brooklyn. AB R H PO A E
Myers, cf. 4 2 1 4 0 0
Daubert, lb. 3 0 2 6 1 0
Stengel, rf. 4 0 1 3 0 0
Wheat, lf. 4 0 0 4 1 1
Cutshaw, 2b. 3 0 0 1 1 0
Mowrey, 3b. 4 0 0 1 2 0
Olson, ss. 4 1 1 3 1 0
Miller, c. 4 1 4 1 0 0
Cheney, p. 1 0 0 1 0 1
Coombs, p. 1 0 0 1 0 0
Smythe, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 33 4 6 27 8 2

Philadelphia won 8 to 4. First on errors—Philadelphia 1, Brooklyn 6. First on Errors—Philadelphia 1, Brooklyn 3. Bases on Balls—Off Alexander 3, off Cheney 2, Coombs 2. Hits and Earned Runs—Off Cheney 2 and 3 in 1-3; off Coombs 6 and 2 in 5 2-3; off Alexander 2 runs Struck Out—By Alexander 5, by Cheney 1.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Boston was virtually eliminated from the National league pennant race here yesterday when New York twice defeated the visitors 2 to 0 and 6 to 0. The victories boosted the New York's winning streak to twenty-five straight games.

Schupp gave another finished performance in the second game. Not a man reached base against him until the sixth inning when Blackburn walked. Konetchy got the only hit, a single in the seventh. These two were the only players to reach first base. Benny Kauff hit a home run in the third inning of the second contest with the bases full. In this inning Gowdy was banished from the game for disputing a decision by Umpire Rigler. In the first game Tesreau and Rudolph engaged in a pitching duel and the Giant hurler bested the Red Sox pitcher. If the Phillies win the series, they will go back to New York to play the fourth game in the series.

SPORT NEWS BY HAROLD GENSEL

Athlete Gets His Passport

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Speedy co-operation from the state department made it possible for Andy Ward, national champion sprinter, to accompany J. G. Lomis, Ted Meredith, Bob Simpson and Fred Murray on their journey to Sweden, which began with the steaming of the Oscar II from Hoboken yesterday. It was not until a few moments before the Scandinavian-American liner left that Ward received a passport. The quintet of America's best athletes left to take part in the athletic games of Sweden, Norway and Russia and expect to be gone for several weeks.

New York Wins Ten Frame Game From Red Sox

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 29.—The New York Americans came from behind yesterday and won a ten-inning game from Boston 4 to 2.

Boston began scoring in the first inning, when Janvrin doubled, took third on an infield out and tallied on a wild pitch. Another Boston run came in the third inning on a base on balls, a single and two sacrifices. After this Mogridge tightened up.

Mays, who had been pitching in fine form weakened in the eighth when New York tied the score on two singles and a double. In the tenth, Walters led off with a two-bagger, went to third when Walker fumbled the drive and scored on Mogridge's single to left, which escaped Lewis. Magee then sent Mogridge home with a triple. Scott played a great game at shortstop for Boston. The score.

NEW YORK. AB R H PO A E
High, lf. 5 0 0 2 0 0
Magee, cf. 5 0 2 2 0 0
Peckinpaugh, ss. 5 0 1 3 3 0
Pipp, lb. 4 1 2 17 1 0
Baker, 3b. 4 0 1 0 2 0
Miller, rf. 3 0 0 2 1 0
Gedeon, 2b. 4 0 1 2 5 0
Walters, c. 4 2 2 4 1 0
Mogridge, p. 4 1 2 2 2 0

Totals . . . 38 4 11 30 15 0

BOSTON. AB R H PO A E
H. oper, rf. 3 1 0 2 0 0
Janvrin, 2b. 3 1 1 0 2 0
Walker, cf. 4 0 1 3 0 1
Janner, lb. 2 0 1 13 2 0
Johltzel, 3b. 6 0 0 0 0 0
Lewis, lf. 4 0 0 2 0 0
Gardner, p. 5 0 1 2 0 0

Dodgers Getting Ready For Philadelphia Attack

By Frank G. Menke.
NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Back in their second line trenches, the Dodgers today were reorganizing their forces to ward off the second attack of the Phillies. Defeated but not utterly routed, in their efforts to hold their first line, the Elbertes were preparing the launch a counter offensive to regain the ground lost in yesterday's battle. They were confident that General Moran of the opposing forces had king Alexander in reserve now to mow them down this afternoon.

In the meantime the Phillies, having swamped the Dodgers with a fusillade of heavy artillery fire, are consolidating their positions and preparing to get an armor plate hold on Pennantville.

In yesterday's mortal combat the Dodgers played anything but like a championship team. The nine assaulting waves that the Phillies hurled against their lines overwhelmed them and they retired to bolster up their offense for the other conflicts. While the Phillies and Dodgers are in their death grapple, partisan rooters for the Giants are figuring out how McGraw's men can clinch the flag. Here is the way they figure the Giants as winners.

If the Giants win all of their remaining seven games and the Dodgers win only one of their six games and the Phillies lost six of their eight games still to be played the standing at the windup would be: Giants, won 91; lost 62. Brooklyn, won 91; lost 63. Philadelphia, won 90; lost 63. It is a good mathematical problem without one change in 100 of becoming a fact.

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RATES For Modern Telephone Service ARE JUST HALF WHAT THEY WERE TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Do you recall the time when there was a primitive system in Lima, based on the zone system, having only two hundred telephones in the city?

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Do you recall the delays, the shaky connections, the nightly closing of the exchange, and the other vexations—all at a rate much higher than you are paying today for the best service obtainable in the United States?

If you do—and if you have been in Lima very long you must—you will realize that the present rate of the telephone company is a reduction over what it used to be, with the system improved several hundred per cent in efficiency.

When the Lima company was fighting the trust and striving to put the control of the local system in the hands of Lima taxpayers, it was an uphill fight. The national organization opposed to the little band of local investors was immensely wealthy, but Lima men won that fight. They gave Lima a system equipped with the best to be had in machinery and service. They increased the value of the service a hundredfold by increasing the number of homes to which you could talk via wire. And today the city has a plant known all over the nation as one of the most up-to-date.

Such development costs more than you can realize. It takes time and work, expert aid and expensive mechanism, to establish such a system. When you see it you will understand why. Many years passed before the Lima men who fought the battle against the trust and gave Lima good service received a dividend. You can get a bigger one on scores of investments. It is a hazard, for one storm can bring down thousands of dollars in wires, and one lightning bolt can wreck thousands of dollars in intricate machinery.

After losing for years in a battle for better service for Lima, with a constant chance of immediate loss by accident, isn't the local company entitled to meet the cost of the service?

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"I'm so glad we've had our house wired at last," continued Mrs. Benton. "We used to think that we couldn't afford Electric Service, but really, after we know what it means to the home, we wouldn't think of being without it. And electric light is only one of the many conveniences that we have at our disposal—since we've had our house wired."

We wouldn't be surprised to see Mrs. Benton get an electric washing machine before long.

THE OHIO ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY

Fourth Game Of Delphos-Lima Series Sunday

Manager Holleran of the Independents expects one of the best crowds of the season at the game to be played at Murphy street park Sunday afternoon. The visitors on this occasion will be the first Delphos club. This will make the fourth game between the two teams this season. The series is to go five games.

The locals feel that they will have no trouble proving they have the best club by copying the contest Sunday. They have already defeated the Canal Town boys twice and are confident that the game Sunday will finish the series.

According to information received from the manager of the Delphos club, a large number of fans from that town will accompany the club to Lima. Arrangements are being made to charter a special car for their accommodation.

The line-up of the locals will be intact. Carroll reports that he is as good as he was in the middle of the summer. With Herring behind the bat to steady him, he is one of the most difficult semi-pro pitchers in the state to beat.

If the series between Delphos and Lima is cleaned up next Sunday, arrangements will be made to complete the series between the locals and St. Marv's. It is expected that the club representing the latter city will have one of the strongest teams in the state toward the last of the season, as it is their custom to sign big leaguers at this time.

Champ Battle

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The periodical battle for the welterweight championship will be held at Boston in October with the same old principals, Jack Britton and Ted Kid Lewis who has just returned from Argentina. It should be Lewis' turn to win this time.

As soon as this battle is over Lewis has arranged for a bout with Champion Al McCoy, the alleged holder of the welterweight title. Lewis, who was once a near featherweight champion, almost a lightweight champion and nearly a welterweight champion, now aspires to be an alleged middleweight champion. Lewis is now waiting to drive \$7,000 out of money from Al McCoy. The money, Mr. Lewis says, was posted before he undertook the disastrous trip to Buenos Ayres.

Many Quail

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Twenty-eight cars have qualified for the second running of the Astor cup race on the speedway at Sheepshead Bay tomorrow. That nearly every machine entered for the 250 mile journey is tuned up for a record-breaking endeavor was proved by the fact that all the drivers who turned out for the official tests made good, not a single one failing to achieve the minimum speed of 90 miles an hour which is required of all those participating in the struggle for the big prize. An arrangement was made that the late-comers could qualify tomorrow morning between 9 and 10 o'clock.

LATIN-AMERICANS
OBJECT TO SOME
U. S. TRADE DEALS

Buenos Aires Manufactur-
ers Claim Northern Ship-
pers Violate Contracts.

Yankee Salesmen Greatly
Hampered by Ignorance
of Language.

By Frederic J. Haskin.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 27.—Our much discussed trade with Latin-America has again bumped to the front in the shape of a complaint from an association of manufacturers in Buenos Aires to the American consul that American shippers are not living up to certain business agreements.
This protest caused the far spreading ripples of editorial comment which always result from any mention of foreign trade in these ambiguous days; and as usual, the comment mostly takes the form of severe censure for the Americans who are thus endangering our foreign trade at a time when we have a golden opportunity to improve it. American banking interests in Latin-America are especially alarmed over the report. Meantime, the consul has demanded proof of the charges for it appears that no specific evidence was given in the complaint.
Whether or not there is substantial basis for this complaint of bad faith on the part of American traders, little importance is attached to the matter by students of our foreign business. They say that despite the proverbial boastfulness of the Yankee, Americans are over sensitive about all of their shortcomings as a nation, and that most of the criticism of American methods in Latin-America which has appeared in the press, is unfounded or greatly exaggerated.
Mr. William C. Wells, chief statistician of the Pan-American Union, who has made a life long study of Latin-American commercial possibilities, is especially anxious to correct some of the popular ideas about Latin-American business, because he believes that these ideas are leading to costly mistakes.
The most common opinion seems to be that before the European war, all of the European nations were outstripping us in the Latin-American field, by reason of their better command of the languages spoken there, and by more skillful catering to the Latin taste. As a matter of fact, says Mr. Wells, we were making very satisfactory progress before the war, and American goods as a whole had a better reputation in Latin-America than the products of any other nation. Since the war, the proportion of the trade that we enjoy has increased, because the

other nations are selling less but the actual amount has not greatly grown, while much of the growth has not been altogether desirable.
The man seeking an opening in South America should not be advised that he faces an easy opportunity to get rich, provided only he can speak Spanish or Portuguese and produce certain designs or varieties of goods that the Latin-American wants. Rather, he should be told that in entering this rich, new field, he is going into competition with all the rest of the world, and unless his product is literally a "world-beater" in actual quality and worth, he can not hope for any permanent success.
As typical of the way Americans deceive themselves about conditions in the southern countries, Mr. Wells cites a recent dispatch from Buenos Aires to the effect that South American farmers are "complaining bitterly" about the weight of the horse-drawn agricultural machinery which Americans are shipping into that country. The report goes on to explain that the Argentine horses are small and light, and can not pull the heavy American plows and reapers. As a result, the Germans, by making light machinery, had almost monopolized the trade before the war, and even now, the implication was, Americans are too stupid to adopt their methods.
Now a consideration of the Argentine trade reports—the ones made in Spanish by the Argentine government—shows that even before the war the farmers of that country were getting nearly all of their agricultural implements from the United States, while Germany had only a negligible share of the trade. During a certain period five million dollars worth of such implements were imported from the United States and only a quarter of a million dollars worth from Germany. Taking up the different machines—plows, threshers, binders, balers, reapers, etc.—one by one, it is found that the United States leads all of the other countries in the number sold of nearly every one of them. Germany leads in nothing except hand threshers—a small and unimportant item.
Taking up the matter of weight, it appears that American agricultural implements are among the lightest and strongest in the world, while as for the horses of the Argentine, according to Mr. Wells, they are heavier on an average than those of the western United States. The English shires have been largely introduced and have greatly improved the old Spanish stock.
It is doubtless true that some Argentine farmers made a complaint against certain American agricultural implements, but the impression conveyed that we were unsuccessful in the Argentine market with our machinery was wholly false.
It is not meant, however, that American goods are always successful in South America because of their quality, or that we can outsell other nations in all lines. Our iron and steel industries are among the strongest in the world, and for that reason have won out in the face of world competition. Our textile industries, on the contrary are not nearly so mature and perfect as those of several European countries, and in many textile lines, American traders have not been uniformly successful. It is the attempt to enter the difficult Latin-American field on

MRS JANE PETERSON, 83
DIES AT BLUFFTON HOME
Funeral services for Mrs. Jane Peterson, 83 years old, pioneer of Bluffton, were held this afternoon at her late home on Main street. The Rev. H. C. Townsend of the Bluffton Presbyterian church, officiated. Burial was at Bluffton.
Mrs. Peterson died Wednesday morning, after an illness of several weeks from a disease, due to age. Twenty-seven years ago to the very day her husband died. She was the mother of Harry Peterson of Bluffton, superintendent of the speed department of the Fair, who was knocked down by an automobile at the grounds on Sunday and is at the hospital, suffering from severe injuries to the head and chest. He was unable to go to Bluffton to attend the funeral of his aged mother.
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games in the United States during the season, so you can easily see what a large clientele Harry Stevens has."
NEW YORK—On love's language, Pietro Rensi, who speaks only Italian, and Mrs. Katie Pfluege, who understands only the Hungarian tongue, were married here.

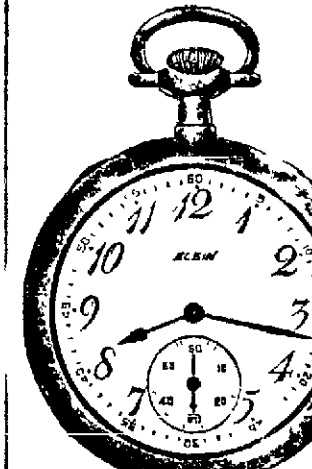
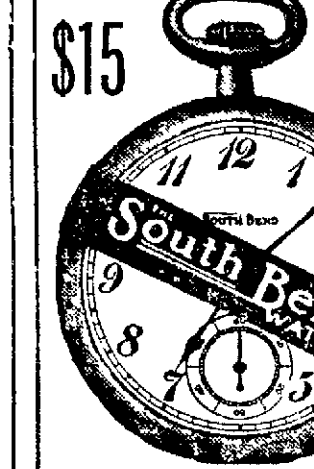
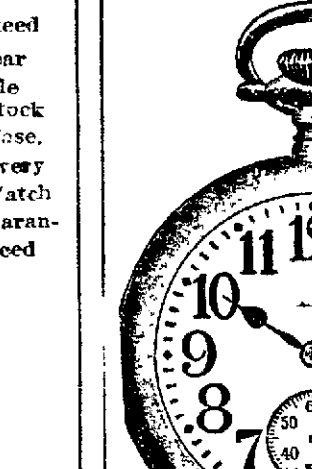
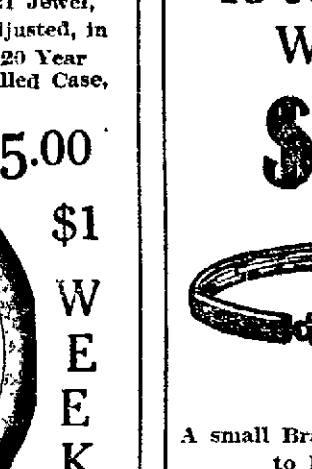
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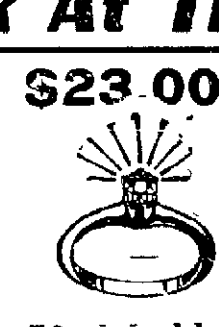
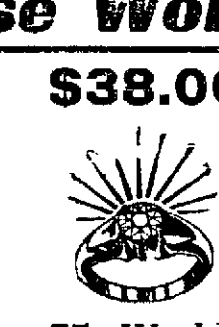
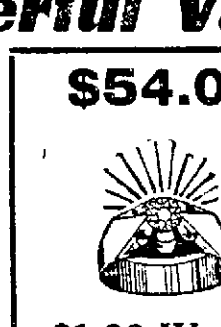
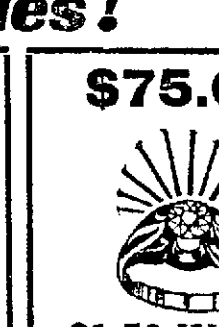
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